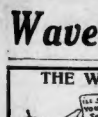
PLASS PLEADS GUILTY OF FRAUD

Waverly Woman Prepares to Prosecute the Clergyman Who Shot Her Pet Dog

THE WEATHER.



Unsettled tonight. Thursday fair; light to moderate westerly winds.

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FOURTH LATEST CITY EDITION

100,000 SAILORS TO QUIT

NEW YORK, June 14.—The world-wide strike of seamen, which has been threatening for months, was begun to-day, and if the orders of the International Seamen's Union, issued yesterday from headquarters at Southampton, England, are carried out, 100,000 men will be involved when the strike gets into full swing.

Following the receipt of cable dispatches announcing the beginning of the international strike of seamen to-day, rumors were circulated in steamship circles here that the crews of foreign and American vessels now in port would go on strike at the same time.

Matthew Tearle, secretary of the American branch of the Sailors' and Firemen's Union, stated to-day that the strike would begin in this port on Friday if not to-day. He said that he was still waiting for the order to strike from London, and that the men themselves were anxious to go out and might even do so without word from him.

"Committees have been appointed here," said Mr. Tearle, "to go down to the piers of the transatlantic liners and call the crews off as soon as the strike order is received."

La Savoie of the French line and Der Grosser Kurfurst are due to sail tomorrow. The Arable of the White Star line, the Red Star liner Lapland, the St. Louis of the American line, the Minnetonka of the Atlantic transport line, and a number of coastwise and South American vessels are all due to leave port between to-morrow and Saturday morning.

The Cunard liner Carmania will dock to-day and the White Star liner Oceanic is also due. To-morrow the Lusitania is expected, together with the Princeton.

The International Mercantile Marine Association, which controls the White Star, Red Star, American and Atlantic transport lines, has been preparing to meet any emergency which may be caused by the strike, and announced to-day that it had engaged full complements of men to take the places of striking seamen.

The steamship officials generally felt certain not one of the transatlantic liners would be delayed in getting off.

It was stated to-day that the strike would in all probability spread to the coastwise steamship companies whose home port is New York. This would affect the Morgan, Mallory, Ward, Royal Mail and the German lines plying between New York and the West Indies. The Atlantic Coast and Seamen's Union and the Cooks and Stewards Union will vote on the decision on Friday night. Their decision made yesterday have been referred by all the coast lines.

ORDERS TO-NIGHT TO CRIPPLE BIG PORTS OF WORLD

LONDON, June 14—The great, world-wide marine strike was temporarily halted by the officials of the International Seamen's Union, and held in abeyance until to-night, when a mass meeting of sailors, firemen and other marine employes will be held. The question will be debated and probably voted upon. If the vote is affirmative, the strike will probably go into effect in all the chief ports of the world immediately.

All was quiet about the docks in this city to-day, although the police took no chances and held large forces ready to preserve order in the event that their services were needed.

Reports from other British ports stated that, while excitement prevailed, no outbreaks had occurred.

Havelock Wilson, leader of the strike, has been attempting to effect a "last minute" settlement. He fears the effect of a long strike upon the union.

Ship Builders May Join.

At Sunderland the local of the International Seaman's Union issued a proclamation that a strike of all ship workers would be called to-night. It was reported that an effort would be made to have the employes of the great ship building plants there strike in sympathy.

At Liverpool the crews of the liners Teutonic and Empress of Ireland refused to re-sign for the next voyage and threatened violence if the vessels attempted to ship with strike-breakers. Crowds of strikers thronged the docks, many of them armed with clubs. Three hundred and fifty of the Teutonic's complement struck and 300 of the Empress of Ireland's.

'L' PLAN OPPOSED BY BUSINESS MEN AND UNION LABOR

The Public Franchise League, in a ringing statement made public to-day and signed by Joseph B. Eastman, secretary, declares that the Boston Elevated Railroad has misrepresented the facts in relation to its attempt to gobble the tunnel and subways of Boston for its exclusive use for fifty years.

Organized labor throughout the State lined up against the lease to-day, joining with the Public Franchise League, the Chamber of Commerce, Public Improvement associations and leading business and professional men in the fight against this gigantic grab of the people's property.

Mr. Eastman describes the bill providing for the two-generation tie-up of the underground streets, which is on the calendar of the Senate to-day, as "a trap which the people are craftily invited to enter."

The Elevated railroad is putting up a gigantic bluff, Mr. Eastman says in substance, and is playing on the desires of the sick and weary strap-hanging public—an old trick of the corporations. If the members of the Legislature have any backbone, it is pointed out, the matter may be adjusted fairly to the railroad and the public.

By JOSEPH B. EASTMAN,
Secretary of the Public Franchise League.

The advertisements which the Elevated is running in the daily press at the expense of the traveling public amount, by implication, to a deceided misrepresentation of the facts. The omnibus measure now before the Legislature has never been recommended by the Joint Board nor by any other public body.

The proposition to extend the lease of the West End to the Elevated, which is contained in this bill, was unanimously rejected by the Joint Board. The proposition to increase the dividends on West End common stock was unsparingly condemned by a minority composed of the strongest men on the board, including the two chairmen.

The proposition to extend the subway and tunnel leases forty-two to fifty years was favored by a majority, but it was never definitely before the board at a public meeting and was never publicly discussed prior to its report.

The advertisements further imply two things.

First, they imply that the Elevated cannot really afford to lease the new subways. Whether this is a fact or not can only be determined by a thorough public investigation of the company's books and accounts. Such an investigation has never been held and is bitterly opposed by the Elevated. If the company is as poor, if its extraordinary proposition to increase the already generous rents received by the West End stockholders.

Second, they imply that it is going to take two generations to make good on these subways. That can only mean that these are the last improvements in transportation facilities which will be made for years to come.

"Trap for the Public."

The people of Boston should understand the trap which they are craftily invited to enter. Surrender to the Elevated what it asks for now, and it only means more and worse concessions in the future.

The public has plain warning that the company has no intention of assuming any further burdens if it can help it. With a 50-year grip on the subways and tunnels, and its permanent franchises for the elevated structures, the Elevated's position will be well-nigh impregnable. It will be independent of the city, and no effective pressure can be brought to bear upon it.

The Elevated is simply playing upon the natural desires and fears of a public sick and weary of strap-hanging in crawling cars to extort concessions which, under other circumstances, would not be thought of for an instant.

The game is old. Public service corporations always play it when they want something. The Elevated has been guilty of the same practice many times before.

In 1900 a bill was introduced giving the company the right to build and own forever the Washington street Massachusetts has so far looked tunnel, and extending the lease of the Tremont street subway twenty years. It was solemnly announced that in no other way could the tunnel be built.

This bill did not become law. In 1901 the Elevated compromised its mild and agreed to accept a fifty-year lease. The Legislature cut the term to forty years and Governor Crane vetoed that as far too long. The next year the company agreed to accept the tunnel on a twenty-five-year lease.

"Private Ownership Failure."

Massachusetts has so far looked askance at public ownership. But if the time has come when this Commonwealth must present dead capital with increased dividends and surrender the most important public ways in the city of Boston by ironclad contract to the exclusive use of a private monopoly for a half century in the future before it can secure the relief in transportation conditions which it ought to have, then private ownership has outlived its usefulness.

Far better cease bickering with grasping private parties and let the community take direct charge.

But that time had not come. The Elevated is not in a position where it can afford to reject what is reasonable and hold out for its own unreasonable and exterritorate demands. It will not be in that position so long as the leases are kept short.

If the Elevated is given possession for twenty-five years of the subways and tunnels which absolutely control the transportation in Boston it will be treated very generously indeed.

No other street railway, gas or electric light company has a security anything like so good. They live, thrive and use the streets solely on the good will and good faith of the public.

"Elevated Need Not Fear."

If the Elevated behaves itself and gives good service it need have no fear that its property will be confiscated or its earnings impaired when the twenty-five years expires. Such fear implies a complete distrust of the people which has never before been voiced in Massachusetts and which has certainly never been shared by the investing public.

If the Elevated refuses to act under this generous offer, it is time to find out the facts. A thorough public probe of the Elevated's books, accounts and methods of doing business should be made at once.

There has been enough of rumor and gossip about that company's finances and too little information. If the Elevated shows itself arrogant and handles this matter with strength and conviction there need be no fear that the Elevated will refuse to sign what is reasonable. (Signed,)

PUBLIC FRANCHISE LEAGUE,
By Joseph B. Eastman, Secretary.

Further details of the fight against the "L" Fifty-Year Lease on Page 3.

SAILORS ARRAIGNED FOR BARGE DEATH

The three members of the crew of the coal barge Glendower, William De Graff, Antonio Prisko and Charles Nelson, were brought over to the Federal building from the East Cambridge jail to-day and arraigned before United States Commissioner Hayes on the charge that they murdered Captain Charles D. Wyman while he slept on the barge last Friday. E. Mark Sullivan, assistant district attorney, who has charge of the prosecution of the men, said that he was not ready for the case to go on as yet, and an adjournment was taken until June 27.

Captain Wyman was murdered on the high seas, and thus the case comes within the province of the Federal Courts. Mr. Sullivan is certain that one of the three men killed the captain, but he can't find out which one it was.

CHARLEY TAFT HAS DISLOCATED WRIST

WATERTOWN, CONN., June 13.—Charley Taft, the young son of President Taft, who is a student at Taft school here is carrying one of his arms in splints as the result of an accident. While practising pole-vaulting he lost his hold on the pole, fell and dislocated one of his wrists.

The American's NEW $10,000.00 Proverb Contest Begins Next Sunday.

1,000 Prizes in All!

NO WORK! NO MONEY!

Just Healthy Mental Exercise!

One Proverb Picture Each Day for 75 Days.

Don't Miss the First Picture!

ROW OVER DOG SHOT BY PASTOR

Mrs. Fred L. Holmes of Waverly, wife of the wealthy president of the Somerworth, N. H., Foundry Company, and one of the social leaders of Waverly, took steps to-day to prosecute the Rev. W. Russell Cannell, pastor of the Waverly First Baptist Church, for shooting her pet terrier Rex before her eyes.

Mrs. Holmes placed her case in the hands of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

She is so angry at the clerical ruffian that she could not speak of the matter to-day without every evidence of emotion. She denounced the shooting as "brutal and cowardly." She says Mr. Cannell began to make trouble soon after he came to Waverly.

The Rev. Mr. Cannell, on the other hand, said to-day that he had repeatedly warned the Holmes family that Rex was attacking his dog and that he would shoot Rex if it was not stopped. He says the police advised him to shoot Rex if the dog made more trouble for the minister's animal. He also says that when he shot Rex the dog was on the point of attacking him.

Mrs. Holmes's Story.

The Holmes family live in a large house on Lexington street, near the corner of Whitcomb street, Waverly. Mr. Cannell lives around the corner at Whitcomb street a short distance. The Holmes family has lived in Waverly twenty-one years. They have four children, all girls. The oldest is seventeen, the youngest a baby not much over a year old.

The Holmes family is agitated over the dog-killing. Some side with Mrs. Holmes, some with the clergyman. To-day Mrs. Holmes told her side of the story, saying:

"Yes, that minister shot my dog. It was a horrible thing for anybody to do, I say nothing of a minister of the gospel. He gets up in his pulpit and preaches love and kindly among men and kindness to dumb animals.

"I don't wish to make too much of a fuss over this, but I naturally feel as any woman would feel who lost a remedied pet as I lost mine at the hands of a minister.

"He has not been in this town very long, but he began to make trouble as soon as he came here.

"Our Rex was a common yellow dog. He was not of any fine breed but just a yellow terrier. But he was a pet. He would play around with the little infant girl of mine, and with my other children. He never showed a vicious trait.

Calls Collie Cranky.

"Then this minister came to town and brought with him a Scotch collie. This collie is an entirely different sort. The minister took a house across the way on Whitcomb street. His collie and Rex began to get into some fights. Rex had never fought with other dogs and never bothered children or passers-by.

"The minister blamed Rex for all the fights and wrote me a disagreeable letter, unless I kept Rex at home and that, if they ever bothered the dog again, he would shoot him.

"I was out walking a week ago Saturday afternoon on Whitcomb street with my little girl and Rex. We had just come to the minister's house when I saw in front of the minister's house when I saw in front of the minister's collie. He was fighting with other dogs and never bothered children or passers-by.

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OPPOSITION TO LEASE GROWING; CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ADVERSE

A great protest against the proposed fifty-year lease of Boston's subways and tunnels by the Boston Elevated Railroad was made to-day by the Boston Central Labor Union and organized labor throughout the State.

The labor organizations thus line up in the fight for the people's rights with the Public Franchise League of Boston, the Public Improvement Associations, the Chamber of Commerce and leading business and professional men who have taken an interest in the vital problem.

The Boston Central Labor Union proposes that mass meetings of the people be held throughout the State and that members of the Legislature be instructed as to how the people feel about giving away their streets for two generations.

Central Labor Union Acts.

The resolutions of the Boston Central Labor Union against the proposed two-generation lease are as follows:

Be it resolved, that we, the executive committee of the Boston Central Labor Union, hereby express our emphatic disapproval of the bill now before the Legislature, or any other bill affecting the relation of the Boston Elevated Company with the community, providing for more than a twenty-five year lease. And, that we earnestly urge the members of the Senate and House to oppose the present proposition, especially as it would place entire control of transportation in this city in the hands of a monopoly for a period of a century, and thus remove all hope of public ownership.

Be it further resolved, that a committee one delegate from each ward be appointed whose duty it shall be to obtain signatures to a petition calling a public meeting in Faneuil Hall, Boston, in order that they may instruct the members of the Legislature from this city of their desires in regard to this monopolistic proposition.

And as the members of the Legislature from other cities have a right to a voice and vote as to the control of transportation in this city.

Be it further resolved, that the Legislative Committee of the Massachusetts State Branch of the American Federation of Labor be asked to take this matter up and to urge upon the Central Labor bodies of the other sections of the State that they, too, call public meetings in their respective communities of the voters that their representatives may be instructed to vote against this outrageous measure.

Be it further resolved, that copies of this resolution be given to the press, be sent to the other central labor bodies in the State, and to the members of the Senate.

Labor Men's Petition.

Labor leaders are circulating the following petition:

"Whereas the Boston Elevated Company is seeking to secure a fifty-year control of transportation in Boston.

"We, the undersigned citizens of Greater Boston protest against the linking together of needed public improvements with propositions for extension of franchises, and urge the Legislature to oppose any scheme for a fifty year extension of the Elevated lease."

Signers

Henry Sterling, secretary of the State Federation of Labor legislative committee.

Daniel J. McDonald, Boston Councillor and business agent for the Allied Printing Trades Council.

T. O. Wood, labor agent for Typographical Union No. 13.

John D. Battle, assistant secretary of Typographical Union No. 13.

John T. Walsh, business agent of Bricklayers' Union No. 3.

Patrick J. Walsh, business agent of Stonemasons' Union No. 9.

William S. Kinder, financial secretary of Cigarmakers' Union.

Charles F. Plass, assistant secretary of Cigarmakers' Union.

Henry Abrahamson, secretary of Cigarmakers' Union and C. I. U.

E. Thulin, business agent of Carpenters' Union.

Dan H. Deegan, secretary of the Carpenters' District Council of Boston.

J. F. Toomey, business agent of Carpenters' union.

Frank H. McCarthy, New England organizer of the A. F. of L.

Thomas J. Minihan, business agent for the Milk-team Drivers' Union.

J. R. Crosier, treasurer of the Boston Central Labor union.

Conrad Young, of the Brewery Workers' union, and many others.

Printers' Strong Protest.

In addition to the general petitions individual action is being taken by a number of unions. The Boston Typographical Union has adopted the following protest:

"To the Honorable Senators of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts:

"Gentlemen—On behalf of the 1,500 members of Typographical Union No. 13, whose members are scattered through every part of Greater Boston, this secretary-committee desires to protest against the proposition to grant long-term franchises to any street car company in Boston, thus giving for no return privileges worth millions and sacrificing the interests of ourselves and posterity.

"We desire to protest against the trickery of joining provisions for much-needed public improvements in the same bill with the gift of valuable franchises.

"We urge the defeat of the franchise provisions in the bill, or at least their submission to a referendum."

BOSTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WILL FIGHT LONG LEASE

Strong opposition to the provisions of the lease bill now before the Legislature is voiced in the report of the public utilities committee of the Boston Chamber of Commerce which was accepted by the directors and reads as follows:

"To the executive committee and board of directors:

"In accordance with the vote that the directors passed last week, the committee has further studied and discussed the provisions contained in the various sections of the bill now pending before the Legislature relative to certain railway transportation facilities in the city of Boston and its vicinity, May 30, 1911.

"The provisions of this bill may be divided into two classes—(1) those relating to the future relations between the Boston Elevated Railway Company and the West End Street Railway Company, and (2) the length of term and conditions of the leases of the subways and the use of the additional subways provided for in the bill.

As to the Future.

"As to the future relations between the Boston Elevated Railway Company and the West End Street Railway Company:

"The statute previously passed permits the consolidation of the two companies by the mutual consent of their stockholders upon the basis of the exchange of 6 per cent. preferred stock of the West End Street Railway Company for the same 6 per cent. preferred 8 per cent. cumulative stock of the Boston Elevated Railway Company and the exchange of the common stock of the West End Street Railway Company for 4 per cent. 20 year gold bonds, dividends are now being paid, for several preferred stocks are upon a 6 per cent. basis, and the proposed 4 per cent. common stock of the Boston Elevated Railway Company.

"The pending act provides for an extension of the present lease, which expires in 1922, for 25 years therefrom, the Elevated Company to pay 8 per cent. upon the preferred stock of the West End Street Railway Company and 7½ per cent. dividend on 7 per cent. as a rental upon the common stock of that company. The bill also changes the terms of the present lease in certain other respects.

Consolidation Argument.

"The committee is unanimously of the opinion that the consolidation of the West End Company with the Elevated Company is preferable to an extension of the lease.

"Consideration will secure greater stability of conditions, a more direct, prompt economy of operation, while an extension of the lease would only defer to a future date a settlement of the difficult situation with which the companies and the city are at present confronted.

"This committee, like the committee of last year, and the previous joint committee of the Boston Chamber of Commerce and the Boston Merchants' Association, is unanimously of the opinion that the terms of the consolidation which are offered by the act (Chapter 553, Acts 1908) seem to be fair and even advantageous to the West End shareholders. This was also the opinion of the board of railroad commissioners and Boston transit commission, sitting jointly, which boards, in the report submitted this year to the Legislature, say:

"The rate of dividend on the second preferred stock as named in the act (7 per cent.) is not unjust to the West End Street Railway stockholders, but, on the contrary, is amply liberal.'

Might Coerce West End.

"The committee has discussed the advisability of agreeing to a compromise by which the consolidation would be permitted upon an exchange of the common stock of the West End Street Railway for second preferred quantitative 7½ per cent. stock of the Elevated company. The committee, being unanimously of the opinion that 7 per cent. is a sufficient and proper dividend, could only view the granting of a larger dividend as a matter of compromise on the ground of the necessity, for the purpose of bringing about a speedy consolidation of the two companies.

"It has also been suggested that if, as we believe, the public interests require the consolidation of the two companies, and the West End Street Railway stockholders are not willing to agree to the consolidation upon terms which are fair and just, the public should compel them to consent, giving them as an alternative the revocation of the franchise of their company.

Coercion Not Favored.

"The committee is not prepared at the present time to recommend such compromise or coercion.

"It points out that the question of rolling stock upon the lines provided for in the act already passed (chapter 553, 1908), has not been voted upon by the West End stockholders, and it recommends that instead of passing part III. of the pending act, chapter 553 of the acts of 1908 be amended to provide that a vote of the stockholders of the two companies shall be taken before October 31, 1911, and that if two-thirds of the stockholders of the respective companies vote in favor of consolidation it shall take place on the terms provided for in that act.

What Bill Provides.

"2—The leases of the existing and prospective subways.

"The lease of the present Tremont street subway under which the company pays 4¼ per cent. expires in 1917; the lease of the East Boston tunnel under which the company pays an annual 5 per cent. of its gross earnings expires in 1922; the lease of the Washington street subway under which the company pays 4½ per cent. expires in 1933.

"The pending bill extends all of these leases until 1936, the company to pay a rental 4½ per cent. on their cost from the expiration of the respective leases until 1936. It also provides for further extensions of the leases from the twenty-five years ending in 1936; for a minimum period necessary to earn the interest and sinking fund requirements of the bonds at an assumed rental of 5 per cent., and for a maximum additional period of two-to-five years, the interest and sinking fund requirements of the bonds to be determined by a board of arbitration, and in any event to be sufficient to pay off the bonds outstanding at the end of the lease.

"Additional subways are also provided for—one, Dorchester, by way of the South square, Dorchester, by way of the South Bay yards, the Fort Point channel and substantially for the Riverbank subway; and one extending the East Boston tunnel under Scollay square and Bowdoin square and through Cambridge, there to connect with the surface tracks at or near the junction of Cambridge and Prospect streets in the West End.

"The committee is unanimously of the opinion that it would not be in the public interest to give an option at the present time for the extension of these leases beyond 1936. The advance in the methods of transportation during the past twenty-five years, and the increase in the number of passengers transported recentitles therefrom, have been tremendous.

Start New Subways.

"It is obviously true that conditions which would be just as fair under a fifty-year lease and which would enable the company to finance its needs on favorable terms, may very well in the future be to the company, and not in the interest of the public if the term is to be twenty-five years; but your committee desires to point out that neither the company nor the public solely or board has yet undertaken to say that terms and conditions which would be fair for the company if the term of the leases is to be 25 years, are such as to believe that if a vigorous, determined and intelligent effort is made to do this, a fair basis for a 25-year lease can be worked out.

"Respectfully submitted,

"Committee on Public Utilities:

"Arnold T. Jackson, acting chairman; Harry E. Clifford, Robert Treat Paine, Russell Hubbard, Charles F. Weed, ex-officio members; George P. Beckford, Robert J. Bottomly, E. Howard George, L. H. Merrill.

"Messrs. Henry Howard (chairman) and William F. Butler of the committee were absent in Europe and did not have an opportunity to pass upon the report."

ELEVATED COUNSEL DEFENDS 50 YEARS' LEASE OF SUBWAYS

Frederick E. Snow, general solicitor of the Boston Elevated Railway Company, has made the following statement concerning the lease of the West End and subways:

"It is true that in 1901 Governor Crane vetoed a bill to authorize the Boston Elevated Railway Company to construct the Washington street tunnel at its own expense and have the use of it for forty years from and after its completion. Among the reasons for the veto it was stated that 'it would give to a private corporation a valuable monopoly upon the public thoroughfare and will perpetuate that monopoly for forty years.'

"I do not understand, however, that the boards of the present Governor and Council by the veto message in question so as to prevent it from adopting some different plan if changed conditions at the present time demand it. In fact, the Legislature of last year was of opinion that the defeating of the veto message in question did not apply to the Boston & Eastern tunnel, for by chapter 630 of the acts of 1910 they authorize the Boston & Eastern Electric Railway Company to construct a tunnel from East Boston to the harbor to Postoffice square, and to have the exclusive use of it for 50 years from the time it is completed, or a period of from 45 to 50 years from the passage of the act.

"The Board of Railroad Commissioners and the Board of Street Commissioners to whom was referred the question by the last Legislature, after careful consideration have reported that the existing conditions are such that it is not only proper, but in the interest of the public, that the subways and tunnels should be leased to the Boston Elevated Railway Company, and that there should be a further right of extension thereof, and I believe that, in view of the changed conditions which exist to-day, the finding of the joint board is not inconsistent with the veto message of Governor Crane."

SOUTH END CLUB PROTESTS AGAINST FIFTY-YEAR LEASE

At the meeting of the Chickatawbut Club, held at No. 2 Decatur street, Boston, the following resolution was offered by Maj. Henry Newman, and adopted:

"We, the members of the Chickatawbut Club, in meeting assembled, do hereby oppose the granting of a lease for fifty years to the Boston Elevated Street Railway.

"We believe it to be against the best interests of public policy to grant a franchise for so long a term to any public service corporation, and that a shorter term would be more in the interest of the public.

"Our highways should not be thus given away; they are public property, and must be kept as such in the interest of the public, for whom they were created. It is against the best interests of the city and a future generation yet unborn be not tied up to the extent of a life tenure."

'Aw, for the Love of Mike, Mutt! Be Reasonable."

"Jeff tells a little bit of revenge," by "Bud" Fisher. Don't miss the funny doings of Mutt and Jeff in next Sunday's AMERICAN.

BOSTON AMERICAN FLAG COUPON

Wednesday, June 14, 1911.

NOTICE! A complete set consists of seven coupons of CONSECUTIVE dates. ALL MAIL ORDERS MUST BE SENT TO FLAG DEPT. P. O. BOX 3047, BOSTON. Not responsible for mail orders sent to any other address.

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Clip seven flag coupons from the Daily and Sunday AMERICAN of consecutive dates. If you wish to have the flag come by mail, send the seven coupons and a postoffice money order for forty-two cents to cover cost of mailing and handling.

If you call for the flag at the Flag Department of the AMERICAN at No. 270 Devonshire street, it will cost you thirty-five cents and seven coupons.

SPECIAL FLAG NOTICE!

The Flag Department has received several hundred remittances from readers who have failed to send their name or address in sending for flags.

If any AMERICAN reader has sent for a flag and has not received it, this may be the reason, and it would be advisable in any such cases to notify the Flag Dept., P. O. Box 3047, Boston, giving the facts and full name and address.

TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS

Up to Midnight London Time

Mikado Writes a Poem in Honor of King George.

TOKIO—The Emperor of Japan has written a poem commemorating the coronation of King George. Here is a translation of it:

When nation speaks to nation in tones of friendly greeting, 'tis not to hear.
When nations dwell in peace beneath the sway of good rulers, 'tis for to see.

426,662 London Persons Walk.

LONDON—That portion of the city day census which relates to persons and vehicles entering the city daily has just been completed. The figures are as follows: Persons, 1,627,155; vehicles, 94,093. The manner in which the people arrived is shown below: On foot, 426,662; by train, 342,451; by motor, 105,567; by electric tram, 32,995; by horse vehicles, 31,617; by cycle, 12,566.

To Study Peruvian Geology.

LIMA, Peru.—Professor John Duer Irving and Professor Walter Scott Hendrickson of the United States Geological Survey have arrived here and made a call on President Leguia. They proceeded to Cuzco, where they expect to make valuable researches in mineralogy.

Czar Entertains Americans.

ST. PETERSBURG.—The Czar gave a luncheon to Rear Admiral Badger and the senior officers of the division of United States warships now at anchor at Cronstadt. The Americans were entertained at a theatre.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Better.

LONDON—Sir Wilfrid Laurier has recovered from his slight indisposition. He attended the Imperial Conference and in the evening was present at a dinner given for him by Lord Strathcona.

China's Gifts for Coronation.

LONDON—The Emperor of China's coronation presents to King George and Queen Mary have reached England. They are packed in forty large cases, and are valued at $100,000.

Horse Throws Perry Belden.

BERLIN—Perry Belden of Syracuse, N. Y., Third Secretary of the American Embassy, was thrown from his horse while riding on Grunewald avenue here. Belden is suffering from bruises and a severed shaking up.

$57,500 for Elizabethan Service.

LONDON—In a sale of old silver at Christie's, an Elizabethan banqueting service brought $57,500.

Famous Composer Is Dead.

COPENHAGEN—Johann Svendsen, the famous Danish composer, died to-day.

NEW YORK TO HAVE A $4,000,000 HOTEL

NEW YORK, June 14.—A new hotel rivaling in size the largest hotels in the city, is to be erected at the northeast corner of Seventh avenue and Thirty-first street by a syndicate of bankers and investors. The structure will be twenty-four stories above the curb, the ground upon which it will stand cost $1,250,000, while the completed plant is to building is $4,000,000. The hotel has already been leased to a prominent hotel proprietor of this city for a period of forty-four years, at an annual rental of $350,000, or $50,000,000 for the full term.

DOWAGER QUEEN SEES THE BIG HORSE SHOW

LONDON, June 14.—Dowager Queen Alexandra was an interested spectator at the International Horse Show at the Olympia to-day. She was shown over the stables and expressed delight in everything she saw. The Dowager Queen occupied the royal box and seemed more personally interested in the Russian exhibit than any others. She warmly applauded the work of the Russian drivers, and the other spectators, taking their cue from the royal guest, gave the Russians a tremendous ovation. The American army officers were in a cheerful frame of mind over yesterday's showing, despite the fact that they could not defeat the continental riders.

BIG CONTEST AT END TO-MORROW

By THE CONTEST EDITOR.

The $35,000 Prize Contest closes to-morrow.

Thursday, June 15, is the date set for the end of the AMERICAN'S big prize competition, the biggest of its kind ever held.

When this contest was inaugurated five months ago it seemed as though the finish was so remote that no one need worry about it.

And now all candidates and their friends are right up against the very end of the contest.

To-morrow brings the close. There is time to rush in just the last remaining votes and subscriptions that have so far escaped you in your campaign territory.

There is no time for delay. The headquarters of the Contest Department at No. 270 Devonshire street will be open till 10 o'clock to-morrow night to receive votes and subscriptions. Subscriptions sent by mail up to 10 p. m. to-morrow, as shown by the postmark, will be accepted. No subscriptions sent by mail up to 10 p. m. to-morrow, as shown by the postmark, will be accepted. No subscription will be accepted after 10 p. m. to-morrow night except those mailed and bearing postmark before that hour.

Candidates are hereby notified that all coupon votes printed in the AMERICAN on and after Thursday, June 8, will be valueless after Thursday, June 22. This gives contestants one week only after contest closes in which to collect and turn in coupon votes.

And candidate who questions the accuracy his total given in the list of standing printed in last Sunday's AMERICAN may have his account checked up. Item by item, by furnishing the Contest Editor with a complete itemized list by dates of all votes and subscriptions turned in.

$ 35,000 PRIZE COUPON 1 VOTE
DISTRICT
NAME
ADDRESS
TOWN AND STATE
VALUELESS AFTER June 22, 1911.

Cuticura SOAP MEDICINAL and TOILET PRICE 25 CENTS

As a *toilet soap* for preserving and purifying the complexion, hair and hands, and as a *skin soap* for dissipating irritating and unsightly conditions of the skin, Cuticura Soap, assisted when necessary by Cuticura Ointment, is unrivaled.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere. Sub a liberal sample of each, with 32-p. book on the skin, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura," Dept. F, Boston.

Filene's
Tunnel Bargain Basement

EARLY CLOSING—Beginning Thursday, June 15, the store will close daily at 5 P. M. Saturdays at 1 P. M. Store closed all day Saturday, June 17—Bunker Hill Day.

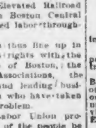
IF (for instance) You had hoped to Save a little more by waiting until the 50c Shirt Waists were reduced to 37c—the 37c Capes to 75c—or the Children's 19c Dresses to 14c—or the 9c Vests to 6c, etc., etc.

You Would Have Lost the Opportunity to Save — The FIRST Prices Were So Extraordinary Nothing Remained to be Reduced

Sometimes, of course, you can save more by the Lots that are automatically reduced (others are SOME lots Reduced every day), but AS A GENERAL RULE, the first price is so low that everything sells out within 2 weeks.

Out of over 4000 Waists on Sale in the Tunnel Bargain Basement These Lots:

A Lot of Odd LINGERIE WAISTS (Original Retail Prices 1.50 to 2.50) 1.20



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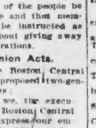
2.50 SILK MUSLIN WAISTS 1.45



1.45

Batiste, in several styles, embroidery and lace trimmed, some with fancy frill down front.

Kimono sleeve, fine sheer cotton lawn materials, black or blue grounds with white dots, all newest styles, sizes to match.

HUNDREDS OF OTHER LOTS FOR THURSDAY—NOT ADVERTISED!

DENIS, WHY DON'T YOU

Marry the Girl and buy the Ring of the Original and Only Wilson Bros. who make Australian Gold Wedding Rings in their own factory? Come to 210 Washington street, Boston, Room 210. Look for our five-story building. Store closed Saturday (Bunker Hill Day); open Friday evening until 10; other nights till 9.

WILSON BROS., Scollay Sq.

Double Legal Stamps will be given with every purchase mornings, until 12 o'clock noon, at Wolf's, "My Clothier," corner Hanover and Portland streets.

DON'T CUT OUT SWOLLEN VEINS, GOITRE OR WENS, for

ABSORBINE JR

will clean them out in a mild and pleasant manner. ABSORBINE, JR., is a healing, soothing, antiseptic liniment that strengthens and reduces inflamed or congestal parts of the veins; takes out soreness and lameness—allays pain. It is a powerful but safe remedy for strains or sprains, bruises, varicose veins, etc. Pleasant to use; book free. ABSORBINE, JR., prepared only by W. F. YOUNG, P. D. F., 115 Temple St., Springfield, Mass.

Another Plimpton-Hervey Bargain

The Plimpton-Hervey Co. will show you a simple saving plan by which you can turn your house or flat into a real home. Our liberal credit will let you possess the comforts and many luxuries you desire at prices 10 to 25 per cent. lower than you pay elsewhere for cash. Come in and we will explain to you the details.

$45.00 Solid Oak Dining-Room Outfit $29.75
$4.00 CASH $1.00 WEEKLY

All SOLID OAK, QUARTERED OAK construction throughout. High grade materials from the ordinary furniture and finish. Selected and thoroughly seasoned solid oak. Each piece is a beautiful, massive, substantial piece of furniture, with the same high grade construction throughout. Buffet, Extension Table, Chairs, Rocker, Serving Table, Side Chair, Arm Chair, Leather Seat, Quartered Oak, Golden Finish, Full Size, Massive Pedestal, Extension Table, Six Chairs

RESCUES THREE SAILORS ADRIFT

Three half-starved and very much frightened fishermen who had been drifting at sea with practically no food or water for two days, were picked up today in a fog shiny miles from the shore. They had started out early Monday morning in a power dory to fish off Egg Rock, Lynn. Their engine broke down and they got lost.

Captain Anderson of the Scandinavian-American ship Kentucky, found the men. He hoisted them and their boat aboard and brought them into the harbor to-day when they showed by frantic motions and ejaculations, words the captain took to mean that they were all right, that they wanted to be let off. So the captain lowered their boat and the trio off Governor's Island. All that the captain had to show for his rescue when he reached port were the following doubtful names: Tony Cioci, G. Carola and L. Vitori.

ROYALL HOUSE OPEN FOR LAWN PARTY

Medford society gathered on the grounds of the historic old Royall House on Main street this afternoon for a lawn party, which is to extend into the evening. An entertainment was given from four to five o'clock. Trained rabbits were shown under direction of Mrs. F. L. Cushing. Girls from the Washington Grammar School gave a Japanese dance. There was a butterfly dance by Miss Doris Hamlin. The Windlemere Orchestra, Jan Fritz director, furnished music. There was dancing from five to six. This evening there will be dancing from 7:30 to 9:30 and music. Refreshments will be served in a Japanese tea room. The Royall House, with its colonial relics, will be open to patrons.

MEETING CALLED TO BOOST DORCHESTER

The Dorchester Boosters, a group of enthusiastic Dorchester men who are boosting that section, have sent 1,000 circulars to business men throughout the district, asking them to attend a meeting in Hamilton Hall, Bowdoin and Hamilton streets, tonight. The circular is as follows:

"Boost Dorchester—smash the knocker—come to the meeting. Committees will be appointed to handle advertising matter, to have Sunday, June 25, observed as Dorchester Sunday, to make arrangements for an auto parade made up of Dorchester automobiles, bring any man with real blood who believes in Dorchester—Above all, be a booster."

REDUCED FARES
NEW YORK CENTRAL LINES
Fare and One-half
Round Trip to
BUFFALO
June 16th to 19th, incl.
Return Limit June 30th
For tickets, sleeping-car accommodations and other information call at City Ticket Office, 298 Washington Street.
Telephone, 2140 Fort Hill

STARR'S
HOLIDAY SALE
STARR'S STAR VALUES
WASH DRESSES
Thursday and Friday
Saturday, June 17, Store Closed

Dotted Swiss Muslin..... 3.95 — Value 6.00
Made with full pleated skirt, finished with Persian border, yoke and cuffs of Cluny lace; waist made in Empire style. Thursday and Friday, only 3.95

Bordered Muslin..... 1.95 — Value 5.00
In all colors, with yoke of fine lace; new Empire skirt, with deep flounce; suitable for house, street or beach wear, all sizes. Thursday and Friday.... 1.95

Cotton Voile..... 4.95 — Value 8.00
Made in striped material in black and navy, skirt made in pleated model with fitted yoke, finished with insertion of Irish lace and embroidery. Dutch neck of embroidery and lace. Thursday and Friday, only.... 4.95

Starr's
35-41 Winter Street
SPECIAL SALE
Graduation Dresses
NOW ON
STARR'S

MARION P. HILLS, QUEEN OF CARNIVAL AT FALL RIVER

MARION P. HILLS

FALL RIVER TO CROWN QUEEN

FALL RIVER, June 14.—Every detail of the big cotton centennial anniversary celebration which begins Monday is being carefully perfected. One of the most elaborate incidents of the week in which the most beautiful young women in the city take part is the crowning of Miss Marion P. Hills as Queen of the Carnival during the opening day.

Monday is to be known as Manufacturers' day and the most important event will be the crowning of the queen. Rehearsals of this part of the program show that it will be an impressive and significant ceremony. It will be in keeping with the elaborate crowning ceremonies attending the crowning of the Queen at the Mardi Gras in New Orleans.

An important feature of the week, which has just been arranged for, is an aeronautical exhibition by Glen Curtis. He will fly over Mt. Hope Bay doing aerial stunts on Saturday, the day of the water carnival.

Special Charlestown Edition Next Sunday.

Don't miss the special Charlestown Edition of the Boston Sunday AMERICAN next Sunday. To make sure of getting your paper it would be well to order your copy in advance from your stocker.

ONE DAY CHANGE IN SUBWAY CAR ROUTES

To-morrow between 1 and 5 a. m., on account of track construction at Bowdoin square, the Cambridge-Adams Square night cars will, after running over their regular route to Charles and Cambridge streets inward, be diverted to North Charles, Leverett, Causeway, Portland, Sudbury and Scollay square to Adams square, returning over the regular route.

"STUDENT" IS HELD.

BANGOR, Me., June 14.—Duncan Foxwell, of Central Falls, R. I., who claims to be a student of the University of Pennsylvania, was held in $500 in the municipal court today upon a charge of defrauding the Bangor House of $37.50. He came there a week ago from Boston.

SECRET HEARING IN BULL CASE

ALFRED, Me., June 14.—At the resumption of the Bull will hearing to-day Judge Hobbs called Attorney Cobb and Whipple into his room for a conference. The testimony of Mr. Thorp, Mrs. Bull's brother, on the Japanese incident referred to last night was given in private. The attorneys came back into court at 9.35 o'clock, and Mr. Thorp resumed the stand.

Q.—Do you know the provision of Mrs. Bull's will providing for the scattering of her ashes on Ole Bull's grave? A.—Yes.

Q.—Did you ever talk with her about that? A.—No.

Q.—Do you know where she got that idea? A.—No.

Q.—Do you know to whom she talked besides Mr. Parker? A.—No.

A dispute came over attempted introduction of letters between Mr. Thorp and Mrs. Olea Bull Vaughan, who is contesting the will. Her counsel objected to any portion of them being read in full reference to Mrs. Vaughan's domestic difficulties." It was agreed that the letters be read privately. These letters deal much with Mrs. Vaughan's divorce proceedings.

One letter from Mr. Thorpe to her in 1904 referred to the death of Dr. Jane of the Grenfell conference. Mr. Thorpe referred to Mrs. Farmer as "a good deal of a fraud."

Letter from Mrs. Vaughan.

A letter was then introduced dated April 2, 1911, on mourning paper from Mrs. Vaughan to Mr. Thorp. The letter was dated in West Lebanon, Maine.

"Dear Uncle Joe—* * * The reports which are reaching me from Norway almost daily of the inevitable, but none the less outrageous, scandal and comment brought about by the publication of those portions of the will reported by the Associated Press are causing me great suffering. The shame and injustice which they cast over my dear mother's memory seem the crowning sorrow achieved by her most unfortunate will. And those who were responsible for the making of that document and codicil, knowing her irresponsible mental state, have very much to answer for in the great harm they allowed to be done to others and that still greater injustice they allowed my poor mother to do to herself.

"Those who loved and would have protected her were shut away from her. This leaves the undesirable burden of responsibility on Mr. Parker alone, whose position in the matter is as difficult to understand as the documents themselves.

Will Is Contradictory.

"The entire will is contradictory, full of evidently unintentional obscurities, calculated to mislead anyone reading it as regards both her and my status under it and as to the size of my mother's estate, and then to crown all are inserted the fatal clauses which are covering her memory with ridicule and shame. * * *

"On the day of mamma's death she did not tell me the shocking details of the first clause of her will, but only that Mr. Parker had just informed you that it was her desire to have her body cremated.

"I, therefore, remained under the impression that her wish of former years was to be carried out, if possible, and I wrote to Mr. Lund as soon as I could, asking if he would make private inquiries as to the best method of getting permission, either to have my father's grave opened and the ashes buried there or to have the ashes sealed in the bronze urn above the grave.

"Later when I heard the will read I realized that that first clause would create the worst possible impression in Norway, and I feared would render impossible any kind of reverent or proper arrangement there, if it should become known.

Scandal in Scandinavia.

"Since the world-wide publication of that and the other sensational clauses of the will and codicil, a stream of scandal has run through the Scandinavian papers. All the details of long ago, which seemed hopelessly on the family and which mamma suffered under for so many years, and which time has mercifully obscured, have been revived.

"A popular belief that my father's great name and position were exploited by mamma to secure a respectful social position, which belief was strengthened by the subsequent connecting of yourself with the name of Longfellow, seems now to have gained.

* * * The scandal surrounding my father's sickness and the cause of his death are not forgotten. Alexander and Parker have already appealed to the church department against having mamma's and father's bodies buried on my father's grave, the ground that that grave was presented by the State for Ole Bull alone.

"Mr. Lund writes me that the head of the department has informed him that the scattering of ashes on a grave would be unlawful. Norway, in Mr. Parker's second to forge in the names of his Indian interests, is a Christian and not a heathen country. A burial there must be in consecrated soil, and the scattering of ashes by an expressman would hardly be regarded as a possible conception for a sane mind to form.

"I don't know what you have done or are planning to do with mamma's ashes, but I hope that her memory will not be exposed to further scandal by any manner of their disposition. Sincerely yours,

"OLEA BULL VAUGHAN."

Court will adjourn Friday night until next Wednesday. After that until the rest of the month court will sit in Biddeford.

Just Between Us Highbrows.

"Do you consider spirit and thought as identical, or is thought the outcome of spirit united with matter?" This question is discussed in

Next Sunday's AMERICAN.

496 AT NORTHWESTERN.

CHICAGO, June 14.—Diplomas were awarded 496 graduates at Northwestern University, Evanston, at the annual commencement which was held there today.

Bungalow and Cottage SUPPLIES
ANGLE LAMPS
LAMPS and LANTERNS OF ALL KINDS
Oil and Gas Heaters,
Gas Ranges and Hot Plates,
Alcohol and Kerosene Stoves.
Steam Cookers, Coffee Makers, Roasting Pans and Sanitary Bread Boards.
Globe Gas Light Co.
27 Union St., Boston.

WILSON BROS. WILL CLOSE SATURDAY

BUNKER HILL DAY.—But that Wedding Gift note. A handsome 8-day Parlor Clock $4; a beautiful 3-piece Set, a Jewel Watch and Chain $15. Hundreds of appreciable gifts to choose from. No matter how little or how much you want to pay, go first, last and always to Bunker Hill Day headquarters, 450 to 456 Washington street, corner Beach, Boston. WILSON BROS. to trade. Next to Big Tea Kettle, corner Beach and Bunker Hill Day. Open Friday evening until 10; other evenings until 9.

Prince Albert
"the national joy smoke"
Pipe tobacco that can't bite your tongue

Houghton & Dutton Co.

It pays to pay Cash

NEW ENGLAND'S GREAT CASH HOUSE.

Crowds of Women From Everywhere

In spite of the threatening weather on Monday shoppers poured in from all parts of Boston and the surrounding towns to participate in the great

Manufacturers' Concession Sale

Interest in the sale increases daily. Come early THURSDAY for these extraordinary bargains.

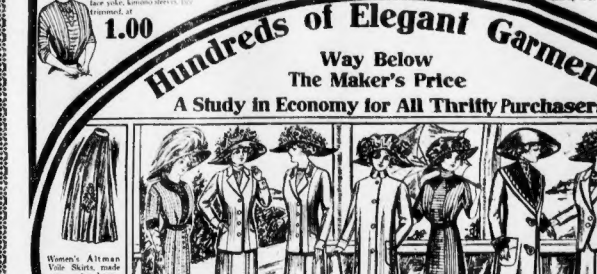
$25,000 Worth of Goods at Manufacturers' Cost

Silk Waists for 1.00
Jap Silk Waists, pretty light shapes. Venice lace yoke, kimono sleeves, lace trimmed, at 1.00

MAIL ORDERS FILLED

7.50 Silk Coats 3.79
Women's Coats, an odd lot, silk and cloth, choose up to $7.50, at 3.79

Hundreds of Elegant Garments
Way Below The Maker's Price
A Study in Economy for All Thrifty Purchasers



Women's Altman Voile Skirts, made over extra heavy silk taffeta drop, cut very full, deep plaited style, regular $10.00 value, for 5.98

Lingerie and Percale Dresses, new styles and trimmings, $5.98 value, for 1.98

Women's and Misses' Tailored Suits in all wool mixtures, satin lined, values up to $15.00, at 5.98

Women's and Misses' Pure Linen Suits in several new styles, sailor collar and tailored effects. These are regular $10.00 values, at 4.98

These famous Women's and Misses' Dusters, made of Mexican linen for use on automobiles or for travelling, regular $1.50 values, for 1.00

Silk Messaline Dresses in panel stripe, trimmed with plain messaline of contrasting colors, $10.00 and $11.00 values for 5.98

High grade manufacturer's sample line of Messaline and Crepe de Chine Dresses, in all the new shades, at 30% off. $20.00 and $35.00 values, at 14.98

Tub Skirts, an odd lot, linen, white and colors, full plaited style, at 1.98

Women's Duck Cutaway Skirts, also linen fabrics, full plaited, well tailored skirts, worth $1.00 and $1.50, special at 69c

1.00 Corsets for 69c
Made of coutil, all the popular makes, some have six hose supporters, all sizes, an exceptional bargain at 69c

MAIL ORDERS FILLED

Made from other gingham or percale, full length, ruffle on skirt, has two large pockets, for this sale 23c

Princess Aprons for

Wash Dresses at 98c
Made in our own factory and consequently sold at manufacturers' cost, as all middlemen's profits are eliminated. Cotton frocks have arrived at a degree of importance in every woman's wardrobe for vacation and home wear, and we consider this the most one of our best values in a low priced dress. The material is shepherd checked percale in blue and black with trimmings of plain color to match on waist and skirt. This makes a very serviceable and dressy garment for 98c

Mail Orders Carefully Filled.

$1.50 Baldwin Double-Service Dresses for 98c
We have a few dozen of these famous dresses at this price left over from Tuesday's sale; it is the easiest thing in the world to put on and off. No buttons to bother with, just two little snaps, that's all. The sizes are somewhat broken in the lot, but it will be worth your while to come as early as possible. You will be more likely to secure your size. In one lot only..... 98c

No Mail Orders.

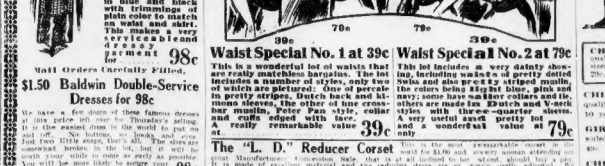
Special for the Girls
We show here just one style from our immense stock of Girls' Dresses at this price. We positively believe that the assortment is larger and the values better than can be obtained elsewhere. These Girls' dresses of plaid gingham, percale and figured muslin, new and dainty patterns of this season's choicest selections, low necks, full gathered skirt, some with sailor collars and tie, button in back, from neck to hem, making laundering much easier, sizes 6 to 14 yrs., worth $1.49, at 98c

Waist Special No. 1 at 39c
This is a wonderful lot of waists that are really matchless bargains. The lot includes a number of styles, only two of which are pictured: One of percale in pretty stripes, button back and kimono sleeves, the other of fine crossbar muslin, Peter Pan style, collar and cuffs edged with lace. A really remarkable value at 39c

Waist Special No. 2 at 79c
This lot includes a very dainty showing, including waists of pretty dotted Swiss and also pretty striped muslins, the colors being Regent blue, pink and navy; some have sailor collars and tie, others are made in Dutch and V-neck styles with three-quarter sleeves. A very useful and pretty lot and a wonderful value at 79c

The "L. D." Reducer Corset
This is the most remarkable corset in the great Manufacturers' Concession Sale, that is at all inclined to be stout, should buy a pair. It is made of excellent coutil material and the reducing straps are so arranged that it really believe this to be positively the only corset at the price that ceases to be dreaded on 1.00
to reduce the figure with safety and comfort. It is a wonderful value. We sell it for only

Mail Orders Promptly Filled.



BRINKLEY COMBINATIONS, in Corset Cover and drawer, made of nainsook, yoke trimmed with rows of torchon insertion, fine cambric ruffles, wide ribbon beading 69c
\$1.00 value, at

AN ODD LOT OF LADIES' GOWNS, made of excellent nainsook, yoke trimmed with fine lace edge and insertion beading, sleeves trimmed to match, finished with lace, ribbon and fine embroidery 50c
at

LADIES' DRAWERS, five styles to choose from, cut circular, with umbrella ruffle, trimmed with torchon lace and medallions, others with deep hemstitched ruffle, finished with tucks, sizes 23 to 30, 49c
at

LADIES' LONG SKIRTS, PETTICOATS, top made of fine cambric, deep flounce of eyelet embroidery, many other styles to 95c
choose from, at

AN ODD LOT OF BRILLIANTINE PETTICOATS, in a variety of pretty styles, some have deep flounce trimmed with ruffles, others with plaited flounce, at 39c

WHITE SEERSUCKER PETTICOATS, made of excellent quality seersucker, deep section of flounce and under piece, a wonderful bargain at 55c

POMPADOUR SILK PETTICOATS, in a variety of pretty stripes, some have flounce trimmed with tailored ruffles, others with full flounce of self material, a \$2.98 value 1.98

"BRINKLEY" SILK PETTICOATS, in black and colors, some have shirred flounce, others with deep plaited flounce, trimmed with tailored ruffles, all have full flounce of self material, a \$2.98 value 1.98

A Bargain for Men
Men's and Young Men's All-Wool Blue Serge Suits in single and double-breasted effects, sizes for the youth of 15 to the man of 44, satin venetian and alpaca lined. Every man wants a blue serge suit for the Summer, and beyond a question of a doubt here's one of the greatest values in Boston at 9.85

25 dozen Men's Stiff Straw Hats, slightly soiled from handling, values up to \$1.50, choice for this sale 25c

Men's Sample Suits, in cheviot, in gray, brown and mixtures, sizes 29 to 44, values in the lot to \$8.50, choice for this sale 5.00

Men's and Young Men's Trousers, in all-wool blue serge, cutting, gray and brown worsteds, cut full peg and stylish, all sizes, values up to 4.00, choice for this sale 2.89

Men's Auto Dusters, in double-breasted style, linen mixtures, sizes up to 46, worth $1.49, choice for this sale 98c

Men's and Young Men's Tailored Suits, in all-wool effects of pencil stripe worsteds and cassimeres and serges, values up to \$20.00, many patterns in imported fabrics, choice for the 14.85
entire assortment, sizes 33 to 42, choice for this sale

MEN'S OUTING TROUSERS, consisting of gray velours in check and stripe effects, made to sell for \$3.00, choice while the lot 1.49
lasts

A Bargain for Boys
Boys' Serge All-Wool Blue Graduation and Confirmation Suits, with linen lined knickers, in sizes 7 to 17. The suits are not made of a flimsy material some stores call blue serge, but of a guaranteed all-wool fabric; worth \$4.00. One of the best values in Boston for boys, at 2.98

500 Boys' Suits, with two pairs of knickers made of medium weight fabrics, in blue or gray mixtures, sizes up to 17. Come early, as these suits are worth \$3.00 and they won't last long at 1.98

Boys' All-Wool Blue Serge Graduation Suits, also a good assortment of gray and brown fabrics, sizes 7 to 17, some Norfolk style, all well made and trimmed 4.98

Boys' Blue Serge Reefers, made with sailor collars, sizes 2 to 10, just what the boy wants for these cool evenings; only 250 in the lot, your choice 1.98

Boys' Play Suits, Indian, cowboy, baseball and sports, in sizes 4 to 15 years, worth \$1.00, specially priced for this sale. Small orders filled while lots last 98c

500 pairs of Boys' Knee Pants, in Teddy straw effects, also serpent leather, nicely trimmed in colors, a wonderful assortment, worth 75c, at 39c

50 DOZEN BOYS' WASH SUITS, in guaranteed washable fabrics in stripes and chambray colors, Russian styles with belts or military effects, sizes 3 to 9; worth 50c. Special at 39c

CHICAGO MEN SEE THE CITY

In forty automobiles the 150 members of the Chicago Association of Commerce, who arrived here last night to be guests of the Boston Chamber of Commerce for three days, left the Hotel Somerset today on a sight-seeing trip up the North Shore to Beverly.

The Chicagoans were escorted by a delegation of eleven members of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, representing the trade extension committee of that body.

Refreshed after a night's rest, the Chicago men were up to good season today. They are lodged at the Somerset, the Puritan and the Charlesgate. But they all gathered at the Somerset for breakfast. The lobby and breakfast room of the Somerset were lively with the brisk and snappy talk of the Westerners. They were in high spirits. They were bound to have a good time in Boston. They had heard so much of late of the renewed business activity and the cheerfulness of the West that they came eager to see everything Boston has to show them.

Bound to See All.

"We want to see it all," said one of the Chicago men while waiting in the Somerset lobby for the autos to come for them. "We even want to see some of that New England weather. And it looks right now as though we were going to have a chance."

At 8:30 the members of the Chamber of Commerce's trade extension committee arrived. Most of them were in the delegation which went out to Pittsfield yesterday afternoon to extend advance welcome to the visitors, so few introductions were necessary.

Walter M. Lowney is chairman of this committee and Harry B. Wellman is secretary. The other committeemen include George T. Coppins, Edric Eldridge, Paul E. Fitzpatrick, William D. Fallon, William M. Flanders, Will T. Hedges, Joshua P. Holden, Chester B. Humphrey and Claude A. Palmer.

Arrangements were made for the party to be joined at Beverly by Colonel Fred Kimball, representing the United Shoe Machinery Company; A. Shuman, Beatty Brown, Mowe, John Shepard, J. J. Phelan and George M. Towle.

They continued out through Somerville and over Prospect Hill, where they saw the famous stone tower where the first American flag was raised. This being Flag Day, it was an appropriate spot to include in the itinerary.

Thence they cut down to Lynn and the North Shore boulevard, which bore them along Swampscott, Marblehead, Salem and Beverly.

They arrived in Beverly at 10:30, where they were met by Colonel King of the United Shoe Machinery Company, and the other five men who were to assist in the day's entertainment. They inspected the shoe machinery plant, then went to "Hetherege," the summer residence of A. Shuman, where they were entertained until the afternoon.

See the Summer Homes.

They proceeded thence to the Ocean Side Hotel at Magnolia, where luncheon was served at 2 o'clock. After lunch they started on a sight-seeing tour of some of the magnificent estates. The Henry C. Frick place at Pride's Crossing was thrown open to them. Mrs. James McMillan, widow of the late Senator McMillan of Michigan, extended the courtesy of her estate to the visitors. The Gardner M. Lane place and others were admired.

Time was taken, also, to see Farmington, the new Summer capital at Beverly, which is to be occupied by the presidential family next week.

Four Visiting Westerners in Boston

From left to right, Herbert F. Miller, business manager Chicago Association of Commerce; Francis T. Simmons, representing Governor Deneen of Illinois, and E. Louis Kuhn, vice-president Chicago Association of Commerce. At the bottom is Governor John Burke of North Dakota.

These six men were to assist in escorting the visitors about Beverly and the Summer residence section along the North Shore.

Some of the biggest men in the West are among the Chicago party. There is Governor John Burke of North Dakota. Governor Deneen of Illinois was prevented by pressure of State affairs from coming, but he is represented here by Francis Simmons. Governor R. A. Vessey of South Dakota is now on route to join the party here. Harry A. Wheeler, president of the Chicago Association of Commerce; Judge C. S. Cutting of Chicago, David R. Forgan, president of the First National Bank of Chicago; Alexander E. McCormack, William P. Sidely, president of the Union League Club of Chicago, and other solid citizens of the big Western city are here.

Starting at 9 o'clock the auto line rolled out over the Harvard bridge and to Harvard square, where the visitors had as good a look at Harvard University as they could get without leaving the machines.

TAYLOR DEFENCE TO BE INSANITY

FARMINGTON, Me., June 14.—New light is shed on the motive and details of the killing of his wife, for whose murder Marshall Taylor is held, in his latest confession to District Attorney Blanchard. A formal plea of not guilty has been entered for Taylor and he is bound over without bail for trial at the September term of court here, when his defence will be "mental irresponsibility."

Miss Gulda Seeger, his housekeeper, who was released on her own recognizance in $1,000, has packed her clothes and gone to her home in Livermore, where she will remain with her parents until the trial.

Had Grave All Dug.

The District-Attorney secured new details of the shocking crime when he cross-questioned Taylor at length. The most important parts of the confession are:

"Mr. Taylor, where did you shoot your wife?"

"Very near where she was buried."

"Did you have her grave dug before you shot her?"

"I did."

"How did you happen to get her out to the place and how did she happen to go with you?"

"Well, we had trouble that night."

"Did you take Lee out there?"

"Yes, she went with me."

"Did you make her go?"

"No."

"How did she happen to go with you?"

"After having trouble that afternoon, that night I told her I wanted her to go out with me."

"Did you threaten her?"

"I did not."

"She went with you?"

"Yes."

Shot Her in the Back.

"And when near the place where she was buried, you shot her?"

"I did."

"From the back?"

"Yes."

"With a shot gun?"

"Yes."

"You buried her there?"

"Yes."

"What did you do with her things, her dresses and clothes; what did you do with her others?"

"Well, there are some of them you will find at one end of the attic."

"In the attic of the house?"

"Yes."

Signed Her Name to Papers.

"Did she have a trunk, that big trunk you told us about?"

"No, sir, I'm going to tell it right straight through."

"Did you sign her name to the receipt for the organ and sewing machine?"

"I did."

"Did you write the note which you claimed she left?"

"I did."

"Did you write Mr. Clark to take that deed from off the records?"

"I did.

"What caused you to do the shooting?"

"Family trouble for a year and a half."

"When did you shoot your wife?"

"About 6 o'clock Friday afternoon, May 12, 1911."

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Kid Gloves, 2-clasp, Paris point embroidery, all sizes, white only. Regular $1.35, at 79c

SENTENCE COOK TO DEATH CHAIR

SPRINGFIELD, June 14.—Edwin F. Cook, convicted of the killing at Ludlow on February 13, 1910, of Herbert H. White, was sentenced to-day by Judge Jesse C. Crosby to die in the electric chair during the week of October 15.

The murder was the result of a dispute over Lydia Amey, a twelve-year-old girl, with whom Cook, who was twenty-one, had run away from northeastern New York. The child had been taken from him and placed in the care of the White family, and the refusal of White to let Cook see her precipitated the fatal quarrel.

"I would rather die in the electric chair," Cook declared after the jury had tried him had pronounced him guilty, "than serve a life sentence in prison." Although his mother and his attorney tried to induce him to consent to having a petition for commutation of sentence, he consistently refused.

Declares Shooting Accident.

To-day when sentence was pronounced Cook was calm. He protested that he had had no intention of killing White, whom he was given an opportunity to address the court, and maintained, as he has done all along, that the shooting was accidental. He declared that the story he told the court at his trial was true. It was as follows:

Cook was born in Ancram, N. Y., and lived in Piltmont until he was about fifteen. Then his father and mother separated and Edwin Cook went about the country working in different towns. In the Summer of 1907 he returned to his mother and he and his brother lived in a shack near Amereita, moored in the Adirondacks.

The Amey family lived nearby. There was the daughter of Lydia and an older girl, and Cook and Lydia soon fell in love.

They ran away and finally got to Springfield. Some time later Cook returned to Lonsdale to see his father. On his return he learned that the girl had been taken by the Children's Society and put in a home. Then he learned that she had been placed in the care of a family at Ludlow.

Searched for Girl.

Learning that White had a girl in his house who had been placed there by State agents, Cook went to the house. He had a revolver, obtained a revolver. He pleaded in vain and finally White ordered him off the premises. Then the shooting occurred.

FIRE FIGHTERS IN PERIL OF EXPLOSION

Fire in a two-and-a-half-story frame dwelling at No. 130 Dresser street, South Boston, to-day drove Mrs. Catherine Doherty from the street with a small child in her arms. An explosion due to paint fumes in the cellar knocked Patrolman [illegible] unconscious to the ground and nearly blinded several firemen.

Mrs. Doherty was told that there was a man in the cellar overcome by smoke. The patrolman broke in the door of the basement and was buried to the ground by an explosion which followed the entrance of air. The loss was $500.

WINTHROP IS A LOSER.

The House of Representatives by a tie, by vote of forty-five yeas to seventy nays to-day refused to reconsider the defeat of the bill for the reimbursement of the town of Winthrop by the State to the extent of $8,000 for the construction of the sea wall at Short Beach.

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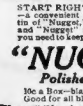

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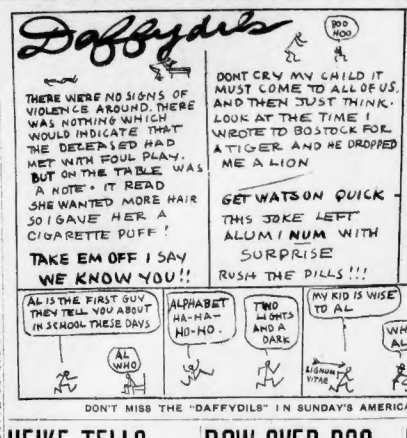
Daffydils
THERE WERE NO SIGNS OF VIOLENCE AROUND. THERE WAS NOTHING WHICH WOULD INDICATE THAT THE DECEASED HAD MET WITH FOUL PLAY. BUT ON THE TABLE WAS A NOTE. IT READ SHE WANTED MORE HAIR SO I GAVE HER A CIGARETTE PUFF!
TAKE EM OFF I SAY WE KNOW YOU!!
DONT CRY MY CHILD IT MUST COME TO ALL OF US, AND THEN JUST THINK. LOOK AT THE TIME I WROTE TO BOSTOCK FOR A TIGER AND HE DROPPED ME A LION
GET WATSON QUICK - THIS JOKE LEFT ALUMINUM WITH SURPRISE
RUSH THE PILLS!!!
POO HOO
AL IS THE FIRST GUY THEY TELL YOU ABOUT IN SCHOOL THESE DAYS
AL WHO
ALPHABET HA-HA-HO-HO.
TWO NIGHTS AND A DARK
MY KID IS WISE TO AL
LIGNUM VITAE
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THE TEACHER HAD JUST FINISHED READING A BEAUTIFUL FAIRY STORY AND CLOSING THE BOOK SAID THAT IF ANY OF THE SCHOLARS WISHED THEY MIGHT ASK A QUESTION
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WHY DID THE GOOD DRUGGIST MAKE MEDI-CINE!!
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NEVER MIND IT'S ALL OVER NOW
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WOOPS MY DEAH THERE'S AIRIG AROUND THE MOON

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HEIKE TELLS SUGAR FACTS

WASHINGTON, June 14.—Throwing light on the inside history of Havemeyer combine of the sugar interests, Charles Heike, former secretary of the American Refining Company, began his testimony to-day before the special House committee investigating the sugar trust.

Heike is facing a jail sentence, pending an appeal, because of his alleged connection with the subornation frauds of the American Sugar Refining Company at the time of New York. He belonged to the old Havemeyer regime in the sugar company.

Representative Garrett developed the fact that Heike now owns fifty shares of American Sugar stock, and that this holds only connection at present with the plausible combine. Mr. Heike said that he was closely associated with the late Henry Havemeyer. He denied, however, that he was Havemeyer's "confidential assistant."

Representative Garret attempted to have Heike explain how Havemeyer had merged seventeen companies into one in 1887, and how the American Sugar Company had finally been formed in 1891, but Mr. Heike proved to be an unsafe factory witness. He professed not to know why the merger was made, but expressed as his own belief that it was done to reduce the cost of production.

"What percentage did the combine control after 1887?" he was asked.

"I don't know, but it was a large percentage," responded Heike.

"Why was the combine in 1887,—known as the trustee combine—abandoned in 1891 and the Sugar Refining Company, a corporation, organized instead," asked Representative Garret.

"I understand it was because the first combine was found to be illegal," said he.

After a long sentence of questions regarding the Havemeyer commission which gave little information Mr. Garrett finally lost patience.

"Well, who does know the inside history of this matter?" he asked.

Mr. Heike responded that possibly John E. Parsons or Washington B. Thomas, the latter now president of the concern, might supply the committee with more details.

RAILROAD BILL IS REPORTED IN HOUSE

The legislative Committee on Railroads reported to the House to-day a bill petitioned for by William B. Lawrence, requiring all railroads in the State to file annually with the Railroad Commission statements of their holdings, directly or indirectly, in subsidiary corporations. The bill was reported by Representative Bridgis of Montague, Republican. He is a candidate for the speakership of next year's House. This same bill has been up for several years, but has been killed in committee. It has been laughed to death, as it were, as a presumptuous effort to compel railroads to show their hand. It is regarded as a blow to the Mellen interests that this bill is now reported to the House.

ROW OVER DOG SHOT BY PASTOR

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myself. Rex was just behind me on the sidewalk. The poor little thing just toppled over into the road.

"I told the minister it was a brutal and cowardly thing for him to do.

Put Dog Out of Misery.

"He simply told me that he had warned me and said dose what he had to. Then he would do. He put his pistol back into his pocket and went into his house.

"Poor Rex was in the road. The bullet had cut across his nose and entered one of his eyes. I had him carried home. I sent for my brother, Dr. Arlington veterinary. Dr. Peirce said Rex would have to be killed. He put the dog out of misery humanely.

"Rex—I admit—has been a few inches on the minister's lawn, but when he was shot he was on the sidewalk directly behind me. But whether on the walk or on the lawn, the shooting was a contemptible and horrible thing for that minister to do.

"We read every day of some poor and ignorant people caught carrying concealed weapons. They are rounded up by the police. Ministers often rethink the police, too, for not being more rigorous in prosecuting such offenders. I'd like to know what law there is that permits a minister to carry a gun in his pocket, while the law punishes others of lesser station for doing the same thing.

"Suppose the two dogs had been fighting? The minister had no more right to shoot Rex than he would have to shoot one of my children because they fought with his children. He had no right to take the law into his own hands.

"I have placed the matter in the hands of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals."

Minister's Story Differs.

The Rev. W. B. Cannell, who shot Mrs. Holmes's dog, told a different story, as follows:

"Ever since I arrived in Waverly, eighteen months ago, I have been annoyed by that dog. The first time was when I was down town shopping. I was about to enter a store. I was holding my own dog Max, when Rex came along. He jumped at my dog and bit him several times. At that time I was living in White street, this is much farther from the Holmes house than where I am now.

"We were never safe day or night from the interference of that dog. He would come over to my place at all times and attack our dog. He was not a Scotch terrier, but a mongrel. He was mostly bull, so much so that my wife was afraid to walk in the street because Rex would attack her, and, if we had one dog with us, he would always attack him.

"I complained to officer John Argy and he advised me to shoot the dog. I wrote a letter to Mrs. Holmes telling her my grievances and requested her to prevent the dog from coming to our place or upon our land. I told her to tie the dog if it became necessary. I concluded by saying that if she did not do this I would address my next argument to Rex and not to her. People told me that the Holmes girl had set their dog on once. I did not believe this until my wife heard Doris Holmes say to Rex, 'go for him.'

First Shot He Fired.

"I have never used a revolver before in my life. This one does not belong to me. I borrowed it from my brother simply to protect myself and wife. Many times in the past few weeks, when Rex attacked our dog, I have walked out from the house with a gun in my hand, but refrained from shooting because I preferred to give the dog another chance. Had I not been a minister I would have shot him long ago.

"A week ago last Saturday I was in the house when I heard my wife scream. I rushed to where she was and I heard growls. Rex and Max were outside and the Holmes dog was making for ours when I came down the steps. The minute Rex saw me he made for me at full speed. I drew my revolver and shot him. Mrs. Holmes was walking beyond and saw nothing of this. If the dog had not attacked me I should have been more than justified in shooting him. Many people have complained of the dog and they are well rid of him."

John Argy, Waverly patrolman, says: "I can't say anything good of this dog that was shot. With one other dog he gave us more trouble than all the rest of the dogs in town put together. He was a tramp dog to begin with. Where he came from no one knew. A blacksmith down here had him first, but he would not keep him. One of Mrs. Holmes's little girls picked up the dog on her way home from school and took him home.

Says Dog Was Vicious.

"The dog was a mongrel cur. He was a short-haired, yellow dog. He began giving trouble right away. He barked at automobiles and passing vehicles. He frightened a horse a while ago and caused a runaway. He jumped at a man riding a motor cycle and the rider and machine were overturned. The dog tore off one of the rider's leggings.

"He knock a little girl down and tore her clothes almost torn off before some workmen drove him away. A little while ago he knocked down Mrs. Cannell, the minister's wife, and she was badly frightened.

"I went to Mr. Holmes and told him to keep his dog tied up. He told me he wouldn't. I told the minister I'd like to have him in my premises he had a right to shoot him. I was then all up ready preliminary to court proceedings when the shooting of the dog by the minister occurred.

"Mr. Cannell claimed the dog was on his premises and was making toward him. He got it as we first found it, anyway in town is rid of a vicious dog."

Meanwhile Mr. Cannell has sent his dog, Max, away for safe keeping.

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PUZZLE PRINTS WORTH $10,000

Tremendous interest is shown in the AMERICAN'S $10,000 puzzle picture Proverb Contest, which begins next Sunday. There are $10,000 in prizes to be awarded. That is the value of the 1,000 prizes to be distributed.

The first prize is a $2,500 seashore home slow. High grade runabout automobiles, motor boats, upright pianos, classy motor cycles, canoes, tennis sets, camera, base ball outfits—these are among the prizes.

One of the attractive features of this competition is that it will entail no active effort. It is merely a mental recreation, a Summer diversion, suitable for old and young. Be sure to get the Sunday AMERICAN of next Sunday, June 18, for the first Proverb picture.

Big News For Harvard.

There will be a big special news feature of particular interest to Harvard and Cambridge in next Sunday's AMERICAN.

STREET CAR CHANGE.

Beginning to-morrow and continuing during the Summer season, the North Cambridge line which now terminates at South station will be extended to Rowe's Wharf, running each 10 minutes on the same schedule as at present.

BURGLARS LOOT BROKER'S HOME

The home of George C. Milliken, a retired broker, at No. 41 Virginia street, Dorchester, was looted by burglars during the early hours to-day and at least $500 worth of silverware and jewelry stolen. The robbers went through the house carefully from cellar to attic and he one in the house heard a sound.

The robbers was discovered when the persons in the house awoke. The burglars then entered rooms where persons were sleeping, ransacked dressing cases and closets and carried off all the valuables they could find.

Mr. Milliken and his wife were on a visit to their son, Frederick Milliken, a state street banker, at his home on Brush Hill road, Milton, when the robbers entered the house. There were servants sleeping in the house.

This is the third of a series of recent robberies in Dorchester. In each one the methods of the burglars were the same and the police have no clue to who the robbers are.

"Aw, for the Love of Mike, Mutt! Be Reasonable."

"Jeff fights for a little bit of revenge," by "Bud" Fisher. Don't miss the funny doings of Mutt and Jeff in next Sunday's AMERICAN.

VICTOR DUPONT OF DELAWARE DEAD

WILMINGTON, Del., June 14.—Victor Du Pont, Jr., one of the family of millionaire powder manufacturers, died to-day at his home here, aged 61.

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In discussing beauty preparations in the Los Angeles Post, Mae Martyn, authority on such matters, writes as follows: "Face powder is now a back number. Women who desire a beautiful complexion seldom use it. A much better substitute has been found in an inexpensive lotion made by dissolving four ounces of spurax in one-half pint hot water with two teaspoonfuls glycerine added.

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BOSTON HONORS TO MRS. STOWE

The Boston celebration of the centenary of Harriet Beecher Stowe, author of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," will take place in Faneuil Hall this evening at 7:30. The public is invited. Admission is free.

Mrs. M. Cravath Simpson will preside and the principal speakers will be Frank Sanborn, the Rev. Edward A. Horton, chaplain of the Senate; Miss Katherine E. Conway of "The Republic," Prof. A. B. Hart of Harvard; the Rev. Dr. O. D. Addison, president of the Mt. Calvary Association; Miss Eliza Gardner; Mrs. A. C. Sparrow; Mrs. Maud Wood Parks, secretary of the Equal Suffrage League, and Mrs. Agnes Adams.

A musical program will be given by Mrs. A. C. Sparrow, soprano; Miss Ella Frazee, soprano, and by the Ladies' Mandolin and Guitar club of the William H. Wooten club.

The celebration is in charge of the Anti-Lynching Society of Afro-American Women, Council of Women's Clubs and the Auxiliary committee.

URGE PARCELS POST ACT.

HARTFORD, Ct., June 14.—The Connecticut House of Representatives has passed a resolution requesting the Connecticut Senators and Representatives in Congress to favor a parcels post act in the with the Senate bill.

NO BROWNIE WILL BE COMPELLED TO LOOK LIKE THIS

THE BALOON BATHING SUIT WHICH IS DESIGNED TO HIDE THE FORM-THE MAYOR KINDLY ACTED AS A MODEL

It may cheer some of the Brownies to know that Joe Goode will not have to parade at L street in a bobble, or the Hon. Percy McNamara in a balloon gown, or yet Parker Dunigan in a tube skirt even though the Chief Moyer thinks these costumes are the proper caper for bathing garb.

There will be nothing doing as skirted men at the Boston baths. Chief Moyer of Long Beach, Cal., has ordered all the men who bathe at the public baths there to wear skirts reaching below the knee.

There will be nothing like that for Boston, says Chairman Walsh of the bath trustees. The suits we inquire are decently modest with being ridiculous.

If we want to turn the L street bath into a daily convention for bearded women, we make sombreites out of some of the shapes displayed at L street, this skirt idea is a fine thing," said one of the "Brownies" when told of the order to-day.

They ought to remember," he added, "that we are not all as graceful as Julian Elting, our candidate for the Hortitus parade on June 17, otherwise it might be all right to enforce such an order here.

"Personally I think that some of the forms displayed over here ought to be covered with skirts reaching to the ankle, but if the owners can stand them they might to be able to do the same."

Instructor Goode is so perturbed over the possibility of the new order of things introduced to Boston that his resignation is all written out in case of emergency. Over at L street Joe is called the modern Apollo, so he can hardly be blamed for feeling alarmed.

HOW ASTHMA AND HAY FEVER VICTIMS FIND RELIEF

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OPIUM RAID IN THE SOUTH END

Nine women and five men were arrested, charged with violating the new law regarding opium, morphine, cocaine and other hypnotic drugs in a series of raids made by the police of the East Dedham street station, on lodging houses in various parts of the South End, early to-day.

Four houses were visited by the police and quantities of cocaine and opium were seized in three. Two opium pipes and sections of the "lay-outs" were also confiscated. The raids are the first of a number which are to be made by Captain Driscoll of the East Dedham street station in an effort to stamp out the drug evil which has become widespread in the South End.

Many of the young women arrested are barely out of their teens and it is said hundreds of others living in lodging houses throughout the district have become slaves to the terrible habit of using opium, cocaine or morphine.

Possession Made a Crime.

Chapter 532, Acts of 1911, which recently went into effect, makes it a crime to have opium, cocaine and other kinds of similar drugs in one's possession, and anyone found where these drugs are discovered is also liable to arrest and subject

It is for violation of this law, framed by the Watch and Ward Society and others, that the raids are being made.

The police have been working for weeks securing evidence against a number of houses distributed throughout the South End where it was thought opium and cocaine were kept, used or could be obtained. Warrants were granted and armed with these Sergeants McCluskey and Hughes, Special Officers Cunningham and Grant and Reserve Officer King started over the district.

They first visited the house at No. 47 Bradford street, where Alonzo Springer, forty, and his wife Edna, thirty-two, were arrested charged with having cocaine in their possession. Eva Brown, twenty-four, Josephine Foster, twenty-two, and Maisie Foster, twenty-five, were locked up charged with being present where cocaine was found. A small quantity of the drug was seized by the police.

Find a Ripe and Opium.

One man and three young women were taken out of the house at No. 18 Upton street. The women gave their names as Katherine Fallon, twenty; Julia Gotsea, twenty-one, and Minnie Fowler, twenty-two. The man said his name was James Richmond, twenty-nine, of No. 283 Columbus avenue. An opium pipe and a quantity of opium were found here and Richmond and the three girls were locked up charged with being present where opium was found.

AUTO TO RACE 2 AEROPLANES

John J. Kingsley, the city hall avenue jeweler, today consented to race his 120-horsepower Thomas car against two aeroplanes for five miles during the Boston aviation meet at Readville park, Friday and Saturday of this week. M. Kingsley went to Hartford for the life-limbing contest last Saturday, and broke his car shaft. To get home he borrowed a square shaft from an automobile concern in Hartford. It was too large for his car, but it served to get him home. The car was put into the shop Monday morning, and will be out to-night. To-morrow, he will try the turns of the track at Readville park—which is necessary because of the very slight banking and the fact that the Thomas does its miles easily in fifty-four and fifty-five seconds.

The five-mile race will be held twice, for neither motorist nor aviator is likely to be convinced on the first trial that he has done all he could. The aeroplane is supposed to have the advantage on the straightway, but owing to the difficulty of holding it down in the turns, the motor usually has the better of the going there.

In spite of this, Lincoln Beachey, who will fly his Curtis aeroplane a scant forty-five feet over Mr. Kingsley's head, beat an automobile at Evansville, Washington, the only place where a threesomery race of this sort has ever been run, the three machines made a dead heat of it.

The aviators and machines will arrive at Readville to-day, and will try to get set up in time for tennis to-night. Mr. Curtis himself will not come until to-morrow night. He has only recently recovered from the effects of a fall, and is obliged to spare himself as much as possible.

The New Craze for Barley Water.

English liquor dealers are filled with sorrow over the fact that alcoholic drinks have been superseded by barley water in that country. For the adventures of this new drink see next Sunday's AMERICAN.

WIRELESS MEETING OFF.

PORTLAND, Me., June 13.—The annual meeting of the United Wireless Telegraph Company, which was postponed from March 14 until yesterday on account of an injunction from the Supreme Court, was again postponed until September 12.

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17th to 20th Prizes:
Complete Lawn Tennis Sets

21st to 30th Prizes:
14-Karat Gold Diamond Set Rings

31st to 100th Prizes:
Complete Baseball Outfit for Boys or Painting or Drawing Outfit for Girls

101st to 200th Prizes:
High Grade Cameras

201st to 300th Prizes:
Fine Quality Foot Balls for Boys or Croquet Sets for Girls

301st to 400th Prizes:
German Silver Mesh Bags or Gold Watches

401st to 500th Prizes:
German Silver Toilet Sets or Gold Scarf Pins

501st to 600th Prizes:
Fine Leather Travelling Bags

601st to 700th Prizes:
High Grade Sweaters or Medicine Balls

701st to 800th Prizes:
Silk American Flags

801st to 900th Prizes:
100 Sets of Handsome Books by Popular Authors

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TRUST GETS 2 HUB BAKERIES

The bread trust has invaded Boston. Two of the largest bakeries of the city—the J. G. and B. S. Ferguson Co. and the George G. Fox Company—turn their properties over to John W. Gates's $30,000,000 bread trust at the end of this week. It is the first invasion of Boston by the baking trust.

The two Boston concerns turn out 100,000 loaves of bread a day and about 50,000 pies and cakes. They employ about 600 hands. The new concern will be known as the General Baking Co., which is a subsidiary company of the National Bread Company, otherwise known as the bread trust.

Turn Over Stock Saturday.

J. G. Ferguson, head of the J. G. and B. S. Ferguson Company, No. 853 Albany street, said to-day: "We turn over all our stock, property and good will to the new concern on Saturday night. I do not know what the policy of the new concern will be.

"I do not look for any increase in the price of bread. I do not know if the new corporation will retain me or not. Our concern is one of the largest of Greater Boston. The other big concern is the George G. Fox, which has also sold out to the General Baking Company."

The formation of the baking trust has been in the hands of Max Oscher, for years a Gates agent, and he formed thirty of the largest baking companies of the country into one corporation. The company controls the American Bread Company of St. Louis, City Baking Company of Baltimore, the Consumers' Bread Company of Kansas City and the National Bread Company of New York.

Country Wide Plan.

The trust was started in New York when Oscher organized thirteen companies into the Schultz Bread Company with a capital stock of $5,000,000. This was in 1909. Oscher then began his country-wide bread trust. He now has companies in Cincinnati, St. Louis, Buffalo, Rochester, Columbus, Binghampton, Cleveland, Louisville, Washington, Philadelphia, Milwaukee, Baltimore and Chicago.

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Miss Dreier Sees Peril in Idleness

MISS MARY E. DREIER

THE WOMAN WHO DOES HER DAY'S HOUSEWORK AND TENDS TO HER CHILDREN ENDURES GOING TO THE FACTORY.

AND THEN WORKS ANOTHER DAY OVER A MACHINE.

President of New York Women's Trade Union League, Advocate of Work for Its Own Sake, Who Declares Toil Keeps People From Getting Peevish and Bored.

"Everybody ought to work. I believe in work, there ought not to be any leisure classes," said Miss Mary E. Dreier, president of the New York Women's Trade Union League, delegate to the convention now being held in this city, and member of a prominent Brooklyn family.

"I wish I could put all our leisure classes to work," she said to an AMERICAN reporter. "Just look at them and you have to realize that there is something the matter with them. We trade unionists greatly believe in the dignity of labor, and in the value of work for its own sake. These rich people who sit around doing nothing and getting fat and bored and peevish, would find a new joy in living if they would only go to work.

"But it is not on account of the people who do not work that I am so much concerned as about the people who do. The trouble is that it is not only bad for the people who don't work not to have anything to do, but it leaves too much to do for the people who work. We are working now for the eight-hour day. But that is not our ultimate aim. I believe the day is coming when there will be a much larger working class and a much smaller leisure class. Then with everybody doing their share of the work, we can have a shorter work day, and yet get all the work done. That will leave time for working people to develop themselves and make the most of life.

Ground In Treadmill.

"Think of the terrible extravagance of men and women with ability being ground down so close to the treadmill of everyday work that they never have a minute to develop their native talents and do the things they are really fitted for. There is a woman delegate to this convention from New York who is a very good example of this. She is in the cigar making industry. Besides working all day she has brought up a family of children. She still keeps them all together in their home, and does all the work in her little flat, which is always as neat as a pin. Early in the morning she gets up and does the family washing and ironing, and then goes to work in the factory all day, and back at night to get a hearty supper for everybody.

"After a day of drudgery like that, she has the strength and enthusiasm left to go to trade union meetings, and to be an enthusiastic organizer, and to pay her trade union dues regularly every month. Think of the executive ability and vitality and initiative that woman is investing on washtubs and rolling chairs and cooking ten hours, or even nine hours a day. She doesn't have time to do anything else. It just grinds her down into a rut and she can't get out.

Should Get Fair Chance.

"In my work I often meet girls with beautiful voices and with various talents which might give them and others a tremendous amount of pleasure if they only had a little time to cultivate their gifts and get something more out of life than a long, grim struggle for the necessities.

"Some people think they do not believe in the divinity of human nature, and are pessimistic about what the world is coming to. I don't see how anyone can help but marvel at the wonderful spirit of truth and idealism which keeps the majority of our working women so splendid and true. Think of the handicaps against which they have to struggle, and then think of what they might be if they were given any sort of a fair chance.

DRINK LIMIT FIXED AT THREE WHISKIES

Dr. Richard C. Cabot, in a lecture before the Massachusetts Medical Society, declared that in over 32 per cent. of the cases from thousands of patients treated at the Massachusetts General Hospital, an excess in the use of alcohol was found, and that the percentage of excess of tobacco users totaled 26 per cent. He added:

"Those whom I would class as excess users of alcohol are: 1. Those who admit they frequently get drunk; those who admit they frequently drink liquor before breakfast; those who drink three whiskeys or more than one-half pint of the liquor per day; those who drink two bottles or eight glasses of beer per day; and those who drink more than two drinks of gin per day."

MUTT AND HIS PAL ON PARADE

If you're laughed at most and his old college chum, "Little Jeff," only rubs the Clark Outing Club feature on the 12th of June morning parade in Charlestown.

But Fisher's pair of sports, who are cutting loose now in dear old London, will be the honored guests when the Clark Outing Club gets the forward march order on next Saturday.

Jeff and his pal will not be the whole show, however. There will be a place in the line for Sherlocko and his comic rival, Watso; the Katzenjammer kids will turn off a few stunts for the benefit of the assembled multitude and the other comic characters in the AMERICAN who have furnished amusement for thousands will be depleted in real flesh and blood in the club feature, "Comic Characters in the Daily Press."

It is a long time since Charlestown has taken such an interest in the outdoor festivities and therefore parade as is displayed this year.

The Clark Outing club display is but one of over fifty big floats that will be in the line when Chief Marshal McVeigh gives the word to move, and Charlestown and its friends prepare to be amused.

So great is the interest in the morning parade that the plan to have the route of march end at Oak street has been abandoned, and the procession will continue to Sullivan Square in order that every resident of the district may have a chance to enjoy a laugh.

All the Fads and Fancies.

All the modern fads and fancies will be exaggerated and caricatured, and there will be keen competition for the $500 in cash prizes which have been offered for the most entertaining features.

The B. O. Churchill Associates will turn out a score or more of real suffragettes, pledged to work for the vote and not for the voter, and a rally will be held at every halt. The Elliott A. C. will show what the women of 1925 will do with the ballot, and also what the women of the same period will do with Dame Fashion, and the exploiters of the latest skirt are scheduled to find themselves about fifteen years behind the times.

One of the most instructive and historical exhibits in the parade will be furnished by the James H. Brennan Club. It will be a representation of the features which won the $500 prize for the best exhibit shown at the Elks' convention last year in Detroit, and was furnished by Boston Lodge. When it is said that this feature competed with displays from every large city in the country and won unanimous commendation as the best of the many shown, it can be seen that the exhibit is really worth while. It was produced auspiciously the same as Boston Lodge moved in whom, headed by E. B. Tom Dowd, they brought home the bacon.

The other clubs, which have announced their intention to turn out, and the features which they will display are as follows:

Some Big Features.

Men of To-morrow by the Sailors' Haven.

Yuma Yama Kids, by the Vincent Association of South Boston.

The Arch Fiend, by the Monument Athletic Club.

Western Spectacle, by the Tammany Club of Chelsea.

Electrical Fire Department, by the Jackson Club.

Teddy's Return from Africa, by the Tuniteche Club.

Capture of the Serpent, by Ensign Worth Bagley Camp, S. W.

Gunga Din, from Crab Island, by the Gray Eagle Associates.

Wilmington Flower Band, by the Medford-Chestnut clubs.

Scenes from the Charlestown Nest of Owls.

Scenes in Battle Alley, by the R. A. S. Club.

The Union Forever, by the Charlestown Artillery.

Hygienic Girls, by the Charlestown Girls' Hygienic Club.

Mixed Pickles, by the Sharon Outing Club.

A Little of Everything, by the Hutton Juniors.

The parade will form at 9:30 a. m. at Bunker Hill and Elm street.

MARY GARDEN NEARLY LEFT

NEW YORK, June 14.—Because Mary Garden had what she described as "a champagne supper for breakfast," to cele brate her return from a concert tour in the West, she came very near being left by the North German Lloyd liner Kaiser Wilhelm II. on which she sailed yesterday for Paris.

Her father and mother and a group of opera folk had been waiting for nearly half an hour and were in a fidget as sailing time came nearer and there was no sign of the voyager until finally she bore in sight at the end of the long pier, her short blue skirt gathered about her yellow stockinged ankles. Her manager, Max Hirsch, trailed behind, while a ship news reporter interviewed her on the run as she made a record dash over the gangplank.

"Late? I'm the gayest. Of course I'm late. I'm just up. If you'd had a champagne supper for breakfast you'd be late, too. I don't know what to talk for an interview. All I want in the whole world just now is a long drink of water."

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SEEK GANG THAT ROBBED FARMER

That a gang of fake race tipsters, recruited from the remnants of the "Big Bill" Kelliher gang which floored George Coleman, the embezzling Cambridge bank clerk, of a third of a million dollars, is at work in Boston, is the belief of the police, following the arrest at Detroit of Joseph Gagnon, alias Jean D. Dillon. Further arrests may be made to-day.

Gagnon, or Dillon, is held in $2,000 bail for trial on the charge of conspiracy to steal $6,000 from Rockwood Snow, a Pelham, N. H. farmer.

According to Snow, he was induced to sell his farm and come to Boston by sharpers who claimed to have inside information that would bring Snow a lot of money. He sold his farm for $5,000 and came to Boston. At the entrance of a telegram office on State street he says he was introduced to a man called "Mac," an alleged expert operator, who sent the racing results to a pool room on Warren avenue.

Snow and his companions were to wait in a nearby house until they received word to bet. Then they were to go to the Warren avenue place and "pinch" on the tip.

Snow lost all his money on the afternoon "races." The horse he played was Straw and he lost.

JOHN D. FARM IS FINEST YET

TARRYTOWN N. Y., June 14.—John D. Rockefeller has on his estate in Pocantico Hills the most complete example of landscape architecture in the world, according to the verdict today of the Architectural League of New York, thirty members of which visited Mr. Rockefeller's property and carefully inspected it.

The members came out by train and were taken by stages to dinner at Pocantico Hills, where they were welcomed by Mr. Rockefeller. Besides being the most complete landscape architecture the visitors agreed that there were more different types of architecture than they had ever before inspected, and the remarkable scenery of the garden showed endless attention and admirable reserve in placing the architectural features.

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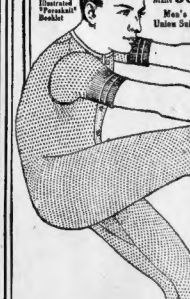

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75c—2-CLASP MILANESE SILK GLOVES, Paris point embroidery, black, white, gray, tan and pongee. Special at 49c

2.50—16-BUTTON FANCY EMBROIDERED SILK GLOVES, black, white and pongee. Special at 2.00

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Advertising supremacy follows circulation supremacy surely and inevitably, for circulation is what pays the advertiser, and the advertiser sooner or later gives the bulk of his business to the paper that pays best. For always is the best the cheapest. As has been well said, it is not what you pay for advertising, but what advertising pays you. That is the test. AND THE BIG CIRCULATIONS ALWAYS PAY ADVERTISERS THE BEST.

The circulation of the AMERICAN is an open book. The publishers of the American Newspaper Directory have made an exhaustive and minute examination of the circulation down to the smallest detail, and consent has been granted the Association of American Advertisers and the Retail Board of the Boston Chamber of Commerce to conduct similar examinations.

HONOR NATION'S FLAG TO-DAY

To-day the Stars and Stripes are 184 years old, and in every city and hamlet in the State Flag Day is observed by a general display of the National colors.

The Massachusetts Department, G. A. R., issued a circular to every post commander with the Memorial Day orders, calling attention to the fact, and this evening meeting nights or on Wednesday evening the Grand Army posts, with hundred organizations of the Sons of Veterans, Women's Relief Corps, Daughters of Veterans and the Sons of Veterans' Ladies Aid Society, will have appropriate patriotic exercises.

The tribute to the flag of the nation is one of the most important observances of the Order of Elks and every lodge in the State will have Flag day exercises.

Boston Lodge will celebrate the birth of the flag at the Elks' home to-night, and city will be the greatest attraction. Assessor General James M. Swift will give the oration, the Hon. Daniel V. McIsaac will give the history of the flag and the Elks' tribute will be paid by Major J. Fitzgerald.

Flags on Public Buildings.

A special musical program will be given by an orchestra with Alvah G. Sleeper at the organ; Mrs. J. W. O'Mealey, soprano, and John E. Daniels, tenor, assisted Ruler Daniel J. Kane will preside.

The impressive floral siluar exercises will be given by the officers of the lodge. The committee in charge of the exercises includes John H. Buckley, J. J. Forrester, J. E. Kenney, J. F. Kelley, Joseph Hintels, E. S. Dillon, Michael Levoroni, J. J. Burley, David W. Simpson and William A. Murphy.

Flags will be displayed on every school building in the State from sunrise until sunset and on every public building.

The patriotic instructors, Mrs. Laura I. Smith of the Woman's Relief Corps and E. G. Kelton of the Grand Army, are urging that every citizen in the Commonwealth display the Stars and Stripes to-day, and if possible wear the colors during the day.

The Sons of the American Revolution, the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Daughters of the Revolution will also observe the day at their meetings.

History of the Flag.

At Somerville Woman's Relief Corps No. 21 will have exercises at which the city officials will be present; General Lander Post of Lynn will also entertain the city officials; Thomas G. Stevenson Post, G. A. R., of Roxbury, Dudgeon Post of South Boston, Edward W. Kinsley Post and John A. Andrew Post will at their meetings have the salute for the colors with a history of the flag given by the commanders.

Flag day was observed in the New York schools in 1889, and it has become generally observed throughout the country now. The first salute to the American flag by a foreign nation was paid by the French fleet to the U. S. S. Ranger, commanded by John Paul Jones in Quiberon Bay, France, on Feb. 14, 1778. This flag was the original flag with 13 stars and 13 stripes in a circle.

The first Flag Day proclamation by a Governor of Massachusetts was issued yesterday by Governor Foss, the following its observance to-day he characterizes it as a "day of great significance." This is also the first proclamation signed by Albert P. Langtry, as Secretary of State. The proclamation follows:

A PROCLAMATION.

Flag Day.

Under authority of Chapter 5 of the Legislative acts of 1911, I hereby designate and set apart Wednesday, June 14th, as Flag Day, and recommend that it be observed by the people of the Commonwealth in the display of our national flag and in such other way as will be in harmony with the general character of the day.

June 14th is the anniversary of the adoption of the national flag by the Continental Congress in the year 1777 and is, therefore, a day of great significance.

The national flag is not only symbolistic of the dignity of our government, but it represents the power and dignity of individual citizenship. It stands for personal, individual rights to life and liberty under a government by the people, dedicated to self-government.

Republics do not always succeed in insuring either national peace or personal liberty. Hence, the failure of other governments, through conspiracy, intrigue or popular revolt, must be a warning to us. We must preserve inviolate the fundamental rights which our constitution promised to us and observe faithfully the fundamental duties which every citizen owes to his flag and his country. Hence, as the national emblem is unfurled on Flag Day let every citizen pledge himself anew to a ceaseless and vigilant share in the duties of government and to a keener realization of the meaning and the majesty of our flag.

Given at the Executive Chamber, in Boston, this second day of June, in the year of our Lord, 1911, and of the independence of the United States of America, the 135th.

EUGENE N. FOSS.

By His Excellency the Governor:
ALBERT P. LANGTRY,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.
God save the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

The Birth of Old Glory.

By THE REV. THOMAS B. GREGORY.

Written Expressly for the Boston American.

THE "Star Spangled Banner" is one hundred and thirty-four years old to-day—a mere babe among the flags of the nations, so far as age is concerned, but in the power and majesty it represents the greatest of them all, the fairest, mightiest ensign that was ever unfurled to the breezes of heaven.

This glorious flag, according to the generally received account, was made by "Betsy Ross," of Philadelphia, on or about the first of June, 1776, at the suggestion of General Washington; and on the fourteenth of June, 1777, was adopted by the Congress in the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Flag of the United States be thirteen stripes, alternate red and white, and that the Union be thirteen stars, white in a blue field, representing the constellation."

There is a bit of uncertainty as to the date of the first use of the "Stars and Stripes" as the national flag. There is some evidence to show that it was first given to the breeze at the battle of Ticonderoga, July 7, 1777; and it is certain that it was raised over Fort Stanwix on August 6 of the same year. Colonel Marinus Willett, upon returning to the fort after helping to save the day on the bloody field of Oriskany, extemporized a flag out of a white shirt, an old petticoat and some stripes of red cloth from the petticoat of a soldier's wife, and ran it up under the wild cheers of the command.

The history of the flag at sea, so far as can now be determined, begins with the sailing of the Ranger under the command of the famous John Paul Jones, from Portsmouth, N. H., November, 1778, and later on the "Starry banner" waved serenely over the smoke and thunder of the fight between the Bon Homme Richard and the Serapis, the most obstinate and murderous struggle recorded in naval history.

For weal or for woe, the flag that began as the emblem of the thirteen States between the Allegianies and the Atlantic is now the symbol of a dominion upon which the sun never sets, for as soon as the great luminary is dyeing his parting smile to our westernmost possessions he turns about and flings his morning salute to the fishermen of Eastport. The "Old Thirteen" States have become forty-eight States, some of them empires of themselves, Texas being larger than the whole German Empire, and California equalling in area all of Japan; the whole making a territory greater than was the Roman Empire at the height of its glory, and peopled by nearly a hundred millions of the most progressive of mankind.

Such is the land and such the people over which "Old Glory" floats on this its one hundred and thirty-fourth birthday.

FRAMING NEW TEACHERS' BILL

Governor Foss, overridden on four vetoes so far this year, but sustained on the Teachers' Salary Bill, is expected to give his approval to a new measure being framed by the committee on rules. It is based on the last paragraph of the Governor's veto message and leaves out the clause that aimed to limit the increased appropriation for schools to application on the salaries of teachers in elementary grades.

This second measure will leave the matter of increase in the hands of the school committee, but with the tacit understanding that the extra money shall be used only for elementary teachers.

When the original bill came up again in the Senate yesterday the vote to sustain the veto was fifteen with the Governor and twenty-four against. Last week the figures stood fourteen to twenty-five or within one of passage over the veto. Senator Grainger went over to the Foss side in the interval.

The salary committee of the Boston Elementary Teachers' Club, after consultation with Attorney Herbert Parker, has issued the following statement:

The committee, acting in behalf of the elementary teachers, have met and heretofore submitted, and the Legislature has approved, an act which will provide with out amplicity, provided an appropriation and specified its application for the benefit of the class of teachers therein designated. The committee do not think it consistent with that frankness which ever have sought always to maintain toward the Legislature, to submit or to give their approval to, any other bill, for, unless such be in effect, whatever its purpose, or accept as an equivalent of their bill, any other, which being different only in form but said to be of the same intent, must seem to defeat by necessity the end in question of those legislators who have sustained that vote.

The committee ventures to say that the bill presented by it, both in form and substance, was the result of deliberate, careful thought and contained protective provisions without which the fund for the promised benefits can never be realized. The sponsors of any other bill must, which the committee has presented, may intend to be the friends of the elementary teachers, but the committee cannot so consider them.

Are Spirit and Thought Identical?

To many this vacation may seem uninteresting, if not foolish, but that question would seem ridiculously more foolish to a pig dozing in his sty who might ask: "What do I care about spirit or about thought? I care about swill and the nice, soft mud." See next Sunday's AMERICAN.

$2,000 CUP IN AUTO RACE

By J. C. KERRISON.

With a view of having some American hold the world's road race record, Mr. and Mrs. Cuneo, who are great believers in speed, are going to offer a $2,000 cup for the driver making the American road race record now held by Teddy Tetzlaff, made in a Lozier car.

In the event of no one surpassing or equalling Tetzlaff's record, the one who makes the best time in to hold the cup until the record is beaten.

Louis Disbrow has a scheme on foot to revive the Riverhead race, and if it should go through there is little doubt but that a new record would be made on this course, which is the fastest in the world.

It is said that a contest will be held early in August to decide the possessor of the valuable trophy. It is to be a 30-mile affair and will be contested at one of the following courses, Scituate Hills, Southampton or Riverhead.

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Messrs. Davis and Miller of the Jackson home office were in Boston yesterday as the guests of M. F. Bates and J. B. Judd of the local branch. Mr. Miller is the gentleman who accompanied Harry Cobe in the 500-mile sweepstakes race at Indianapolis, and who had the pleasure of riding a portion of the distance with Mr. Judd, who, it will be remembered, was an alternate driver.

Mr. Miller expressed the opinion that the Indianapolis race will be repeated on Labor Day, and if it is, said he, you can figure on the Jackson rendering a most excellent account of herself, as she always has done. Mr. Miller is confident that had it not been for some ignition trouble his Jackson car would have been much higher up in the money. As it was, she won a place and got some of the coin.

BILL KILLED, PEOPLE LOSE.

By a roll-call vote of eighty-two yeas to 108 nays, the House of Representatives to-day killed a bill providing for the election of the Railroad Commissioners by the people.

MARRY ME, JOSIE

And I'll buy the ring of the original and only Wilson Bros., who makes Australian gold wedding rings in their factory from $6 to $15. And special ring to order in two hours. Look for our fire-story building, next to Filene's, Store closed Saturday (Bunker Hill Day); open Friday evening until 10; other nights till 6.

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Special Sale of 10-Inch DISC RECORDS

Regular 60-cent goods. More than 500 selections to choose from. We will sell them, until cleaned out, for

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We carry the most complete line of Victor, Edison and Columbia machines in the city. Any of these machines may be had on our liberal terms of

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STORE OPEN SATURDAY EVENINGS

THE C. E. OSGOOD CO.

BAIL IS REDUCED IN STOKES CASE

NEW YORK, June 14.—Ethel Conrad and Lillian Graham, the two girls who shot Millionaire W. E. D. Stokes in their apartments at No. 225 West Eighteenth street, had their bail reduced to-day when arraigned in the West Side Court, from the original $25,000 to $10,000 each. Further hearings in the case were put off until Friday at 2 p. m., when an appeal for additional reduction of bail will be made.

Mr. Stokes is fairly confident a man suggested the holdup, according to information obtained to-day.

The name of the man suspected by the millionaire and his lawyers is known, but is withheld because of the statement that sufficient evidence to substantiate the charge in court has not been collected.

Mr. Stokes continues to improve, but it is said he cannot possibly leave the hospital for several days, and it is expected the case again will be continued.

Herman Philips, who was engaged as counsel for Miss Conrad immediately after the shooting, appears to have been crowded out of the case. He asserts he was badly treated but that he has been retained by Mrs. Charles Nagel, Miss Conrad's mother, and will remain in the case.

Through Attorney Jordan, Miss Conrad said last night she would under no circumstances desert Miss Graham, and that if a bondsman for both could not be found she preferred to stay in jail.

Terrence McManus, counsel to Mr. Stokes, has a large force of detectives running down stories concerning tenants in which the young women are said to have figured.

One of these is to the effect that Miss Conrad had an affair with a prominent lawyer in this city and at one time threatened his life.

A letter from a resident of Brooklyn, who at one time lived near the Nagle home, says the girl once drove her stepfather out of the house with a butcher knife and defied him to return.

RICH MEXICAN DON SEEKS LOST WIFE

Don Emilio de Astle, Mexican millionaire, is seeking here through agents for some trace of his wife and her twenty-one months old boy Emilio. She was formerly Jean Campbell, a pretty telephone operator, and she fled from his Mexican estate several months ago. She was thought to have gone to Worcester, where she had obtained work in the telephone exchange, having left her baby with a sister in Brooklyn. But just before he arrived in that city Senora de Astle left and he has been unable to find any trace of her since, although he is now in Brooklyn, whither she was thought to have gone. Senora de Astle told Worcester people that she had fled from her husband because of cruelty and that he had pursued her to Vera Cruz, where she took ship for New York.

YALE SENIOR WEDS POOR GIRL SINGER

NEW HAVEN, June 14.—Gilbert Mack Smith of Evanston, Ill., son of a Chicago millionaire, who will be graduated from Yale next week, was married to Miss Rosalie Marie O'Connell of Wallingford. Miss O'Connell is a poor girl who has supported her father and mother by singing. Miss O'Connell is a gifted singer. She and young Smith became acquainted two months a year ago and fell in love at first sight.

Special Charlestown Edition Next Sunday.

Don't miss the special Charlestown Edition of the Boston Sunday AMERICAN next Sunday.

To make sure of getting your paper it would be well to order your copy in advance from your dealer.

PHIL, WHY DON'T YOU

Marry the first and buy the Ring of the Original and only WILSON BROS., who make Australian Gold Wedding Rings in their own factory from $6 to $15? And special ring to order in two hours. Look for our five-story building. Store closed Saturday (Bunker Hill Day); open Friday evening until 10; other nights till 6.

WILSON BROS., Scollay Sq.

No kind of outing is all it should be to a smoker if he doesn't have his favorite cigar. As **PIPPINS** are for sale almost everywhere, **PIPPIN** smokers don't worry for they are sure to be able to get a good cigar wherever they go.

PIPPINS 5¢ CIGAR

5 Cents—6 for 25 Cents

"At Every Cigar Counter."

BOSTON JUDGE FOR PROBATION

Judge Charles A. De Courcey of the Massachusetts Superior Court addressed the Conference of Charities and Corrections to-day in Pilgrim Hall on the need of getting rid of Judges who are opposed to the probation and parole system of treating criminals.

"Two essentials in probation work," said Judge De Courcey, "are Judges who have an intelligent and sympathetic interest in the problem and probation officers gifted by temperament and training to secure the best results.

"We need Judges who will not discredit the system by extending probation to persons not likely to profit by it and who will apply it wherever it can be done with due regard to the protection of the community and where the past history and present disposition of the person investigated indicate that he may reasonably be expected to reform without punishment, and we need probation officers who possess not only sympathy and zeal, but knowledge of human nature, tact, firmness and patience.

Need Capable Men.

"The active friends of probation should influence public opinion in the direction of appointment of persons to these positions who are able and willing to consider probation on its merits."

Annie Butler, secretary of the State Board of Charities in Indiana, said: "Many men and women offenders can be reclaimed to useful lives without imprisonment by correct probationary treatment.

"Probation and parole are often used synonymously," said the speaker, "while in fact authorities and prison officials recognize a distinction. Probation applies to one conditionally released after conviction but before sentence, upon his sentence. Parole is understood to be conditional release from institution after the serving of sentence has begun.

System in Indiana.

"The Indiana probation law applies in three different ways: to felons, to misdemeanors, to juvenile delinquents. A person who is convicted of a felony is sentenced to State prison or a reformatory. The sentence may be suspended and he be released on probation. If the offence is a misdemeanor, the court may suspend judgment and release the offender upon such terms and conditions as in his judgment and discretion seem right and proper. Juvenile delinquents may be released by the court on probation and placed under care of probation officers.

"While the laws worked out in one place and another as to the best methods and practice by the care of children, it is best applied to adults who are subjects for probation."

GREENFIELD JAIL BREAKERS CAUGHT

GREENFIELD, June 14.—William F. Datson and Cyrilius W. Stoddard of New York, who escaped from the county jail in Greenfield June 5 while under sentence in the Concord Reformatory, are under arrest at Ballston Spa, N. Y., for burglary in Mechanicville. Chief of Police Merrick of Greenfield identified them. Since jailed there the young desperadoes have made an unsuccessful attempt to escape.

BOSTON BIGGEST LINER, OLYMPIC, SAILS

SOUTHAMPTON, Eng., June 14.—The new White Star liner Olympic, the biggest ship in the world, sailed from here for New York to-day, unaffected by the marine strike. There was a tremendous demonstration as she moved from her pier.

The Olympic was chained to sail by the White Star line, according to the demands of the union men and assenting to pay them the wage increase demanded. Union leaders were jubilant over the action of the White Star company, declaring that the example of this company would soon be followed by the Cunard and all the other big transatlantic lines.

The maiden voyage of the new leviathan sets a new mark in marine traffic. There are 2,345 cabin berths in the ship and when the passengers can walk away their steps will be the broadest and grandest ever disposed.

The length of the Olympic is 882 feet and a few inches. Other statistics are: Tonnage registered, 45,000; displacement, 60,000; breadth all over, 92 feet; height from keel to boat deck, 92 feet; height of funnels above casing, 72 feet; number of steel decks, 11; passengers carried, 2,500; crew, 860 men.

The length of the vessel exceeds by 82 feet the height of the Metropolitan tower in New York city and is four times the height of Bunker Hill monument at Boston.

10,000 COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS MEET

NEW HAVEN, June 14.—The advance guard of delegates to the annual convention of the United Commercial Travelers, which opens its three days' convention here to-morrow, began to arrive this afternoon. It is expected that fully 10,000 traveling men and their friends will be in attendance.

IF YOU NEED A MEDICINE, YOU SHOULD HAVE THE BEST.

Although there are hundreds of preparations advertised, there is only one that really stands out preeminent as a remedy for diseases of the kidneys, liver and bladder.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root stands the highest for the reason that it has proved to be just the remedy needed in thousands upon thousands of even the most distressing cases.

Swamp-Root makes friends quickly because its mild and immediate effect is soon realized. It is a gentle, healing vegetable compound.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is a physician's prescription for special diseases, which is not recommended for everything.

A Sworn Certificate of Purity is with every bottle.

For sale at all drug stores, in bottles of two sizes—fifty cents and one dollar.

SAMPLE BOTTLE FREE BY MAIL.

In order to prove what Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, will do for you, every reader of the Boston Daily American who has not already tried it may receive a sample bottle by mail absolutely free. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. Write to-day.

$3.50 SHOES FREE

The Best of Clothes for Men and Women

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NO MONEY DOWN

$1.00 A Week **No Interest**

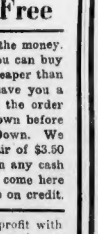
AN ALL WOOL High Grade **Blue Serge**

Cut in the latest style, fine material and workmanship, the kind a well dressed young man must have at this season.

Worth $18.50, Only **$15.00**

AN ALL WOOL High Grade **Serge Suit**

In good quality serges, blue and black, sailor collar, ending in long roll front, trimmed with two rows braid. Skirt regulation width. Wide plait back and front.



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We Present With Every Suit

A $3.50 Pair of Shoes Free

No better Blue Serge Suits can be bought for the money. We sell on credit in our own store cheaper than you can buy in the downtown cash stores. We sell you 10% cheaper than any order house as we charge no interest. We save you a payment down of at least $5.00 on these suits as the order houses make you pay from one-third to one-half down before you get your goods. We sell you for No Money Down. We save you $1.50 interest and we give you Free a pair of $3.50 shoes and guarantee you can't buy them for less in any cash store in Boston. We do all this just to have you come here and satisfy yourself that this is the place to trade on credit.

No Extra Charges For Orders On Cash Stores. No Interest.

We are satisfied for our profit with the discount the cash stores give us when we give you an order to trade there. We charge you no extra profit and save you the exorbitant 10% interest now charged by others for the accommodation.—You only pay us the same price the cash store sells to you. No extra charges.

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The People's Credit Store and Supply Co.
Clothiers for Men, Women and Children

765 Washington St.

O'CALLAGHAN'S

484-486 Washington St.

Sale To Be Forced

Immediately, without delay. Even the most drastic measures will be used to urge it on. We will exert all the force we possess to draw it to a victorious conclusion. Drive, Rush and Press must be the watchwords now. Our time is so short, in order to secure and obtain the amount of sales necessary, that there will be nothing left undone.

On Monday we were not in condition for such a stampede descending upon us. In plain terms we told the public what was going to happen extraordinary. We told them of the temporary retirement of the O'Callaghan Cloak & Suit Co. To make extraordinary alterations, we must rush and press, and do that furiously, in order that our store will be ready for the coming fall trade. Nothing reserved. Everything must be sold. FURS, CLOAKS, SUITS, WAISTS, Etc. You can buy here cheaper than anywhere else until our stock is thoroughly reduced.

Summer Suits

$7.50 Soiled Linen Suits, Now	1.98
$7.50 Natural Linen Suits, Now	3.98
$10 Natural Linen Suits, Now	1.98
$12 Natural Linen Suits, Now	5.98
$15 Striped White Serge Suits	6.75
$20 Striped White Serge Suits	10.00

Summer Dresses

$4 Gingham Dresses, Emb. Waist	2.50
$5.98 Flowered Muslin Dresses	3.98
$18.50 White Net Dresses	9.98
$20 New Summer Foulard Dresses	9.98
$25 Large Size Messaline Dresses	15.00
$25 New White Voile Dresses	16.50

Summer Coats

$5 Long Heavy Linen Coats	2.98
$6 Long Linen Coats	3.98
$10 Embroidered Skirt Suits	5.98
$10 Misses' Long Serge Coats	4.98
$15 Long Black Serge Coats	6.75
$15 Misses' Gray Mixture Coats	6.98

Summer Waists

98c Cross-Bar Muslin Waists	49c
98c Muslin Waists, Kimono Sleeves	59c
$1.25 Dutch Neck Emb'd Waists	69c
$1.50 Emb'd Colored Waists	89c
$1.50 Tailored Linen Waists	98c
$1.50 New Embroidered Waists	98c

Fur Coats

$25 Short Pony Coats	10.00
$45 Long Pony Coats	29.90
$75 Long Sealskin Coats	52.50
$75 Long Marmot Coats	45.00
$150 Natural Pony Coats, Trimmed	95.00
$160 Hudson Seal Coats	110.00

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Hats Trimmed Free
Select from Our Special

Clearance Sale

Your Hat, Flowers, Feathers or other trimmings and then let one of our expert trimmers trim for you a Hat that will be designed to please and become YOU personally without any charge for trimming.

WE OFFER

Untrimmed Hats in

Milan and Chips, $2.00 value	49c
Finest Grade Chips, $3.00 value	89c
Finest Grade Milans, $3.50 value	98c

WILLOW PLUMES

16-inch	3.50
18-inch	4.95
19-inch	6.50
22-inch	10.50

TRIMMED HATS, values up to $12.00, altered to please you without charge, for Wed., Thurs. and Fri. only, 3.49

OUTING HATS
FOR THE HOLIDAY

Peanut Braid Hats	19c
Peanut Braid Hats, trimmed with silk, all colors	89c
Sailors, Jumbo braid	59c
Imitation Knox Block	98c

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BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

CLEVELAND HERE TO OPEN SERIES WITH TAYLOR'S RED SOX

The Family Upstairs—Dingbat Can't Hire Enough Cooks

By Herriman

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HERE'S THREE COOK LADIES, WIRE, AGW, IF THAT FAMILY UPSTAIRS AND THAT FAMILY DOWNSTAIRS EACH STEAL ONE, YOU SEE, WE'LL STILL HAVE ONE LEFT
IT'S A BIT EXPENSIVE, HIRING THESE THREE COOKS, BUT IT'S WORTH IT TO GET EVEN WITH THOSE COOKS ABOVE AND BELOW ME
BOO-HOO-HOO THEY'VE GONE AND DONE IT. THAT FAMILY DOWNSTAIRS GOT ONE AND THE PEOPLE ABOVE TOOK THE OTHER. — COMMON
WELL THE THIRD STILL REMAINS DOESN'T SHE? WHY WORRY?
YOU DEAR BRAINFUL LITTLE MAN, AT LAST WE HAVE A COOK —
AIN'T DAZZY HAVE WE GOT A COOK, BUT ALSO THE LAUGH ON THOSE TWO PIRATE FAMILIES HEY ?
THE THIRD ONE
I'VE JUST DECIDED TO MARRY THE JANITOR, MIA SO I GIVES YOU A FIVE MINUTE NOTICE GOOD-BYE —

"THE FAMILY UPSTAIRS" IS A REGULAR FEATURE OF THE SUNDAY AMERICAN. BE SURE TO GET SUNDAYS AMERICAN FOR THE FUNNIEST OF MR. DINGBAT'S EXPLOITS.

HOLY CROSS IS PICKED TO WIN

Harvard and Holy Cross meet on Soldiers Field this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the second and last game of the annual series played between these two nines. In the first contest, played several weeks ago at Worcester, Holy Cross had no trouble in downing the Crimson 4 to 1. Lynch is slated to pitch this afternoon.

Harvard claims to have taken a brace since being defeated by the Brown team last Saturday, but the Crimson seems to have fallen into a pretty deep mire and few of the men, Captain McLaughlin included, are showing any signs of baseball fight.

Filene's
14-16 Summer
Open Tonight Till 9
Compulsory Sale
SPECIAL SALE!
When we received notice to vacate for the Filene deal, thousands of Georges Model Suits and Coats and Trousers were being tailored for this store. They are coming through now, but they all go at the marvellous Reduction that the enormous bonus we received is making possible. EVERY DAY NEW GARMENTS GO INTO THE SALE.
Two-piece Suit BARGAINS
Nobbiest Suits you ever saw. New English cut, natural shoulders, no padding, 2-button long roll, patch pockets; straight cut trousers, cuff bottom, adjustable waist band, making belt or suspenders unnecessary. Material English loose woven hop sacking, in blue, grays, tans, etc., in neat stripes and checks. The Compulsory Price is $12.50
These Suits were especially constructed to sell at $20
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369 Westminster St.
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ALSO STORES AT
NEW YORK
44 West 34th Street
PHILADELPHIA 15th and Chestnut — BUFFALO 357 Main

KLING JOINS BOSTON RUSTLERS AFTER ALL

CHICAGO, June 14.—The now celebrated deal between the Boston Nationals and the Chicago Nationals bids fair to develop a row that will keep President Lynch and his directors busy for some time in an attempt at smothering. It is said that the Cincinnati and New York clubs have filed protests to the head of the league.

They want the trade made null and void, claiming in effect that it is nothing more or less than an obvious effort to strengthen Chicago, a club which shows signs of going back, at the expense of the Boston team, already a hopeless tailender.

The positive statement is made that Graham, Curtis, Goode and Cullins had been offered to every club in the league, but with the stipulation that a big bunch of money should be paid the Boston club, in addition to the players who would come here in exchange. Other writers also insist that the complete terms of the deal have not been made public, but that Chicago paid money in addition to swapping players.

Kling Agrees to Play.

John Kling made his final decision this evening a few minutes before train time, and departed with the Boston team.

It came out just before the Boston band left the hotel that Mrs. Kling has been the chief stumbling block in the way of making the big trade go. The telegram sent to Kling by Vice-President Page came after upsetting the entire family, but President Russell succeeded in smoothing that wrinkle out and a roundsed of love was made by Mrs. Kling over to the change. Her chief reason was a desire to be near her husband with some team nearer home, as he has business interests there which require his personal supervision frequently or personal conferences with agents.

The fact came out today that when the big trade was made Boston bound it self not to sell or trade Kling to any other club for two years. President Russell said tonight this statement was not necessary.

"It would not consider an offer of $10,000 for Kling," he said. "The future will show his immense value to our team. He is an important balance wheel in a club and no one knows the game or plays it better than Kling. Our relations are most pleasant and satisfactory and all difficulties have been adjusted."

Albert Kaiser, another of the Cubs traded to Boston, was missing from the scene of the getaway. It was thought he had explained that Kaiser's wife had been taken to a hospital in Cincinnati today and he had granted him permission to be with her for a few days.

Unprejudiced fans in Chicago admit that with Kling thoroughly in accord with his new surroundings, the pennant prospects of Boston club is likely to cause some surprises.

There is still soreness here over the sale of Kling, as he is undoubtedly an idol, and West Side fans are shaking their heads over the wisdom of disposing of him. In view of his former differences with President Murphy, it would not cause his friends much surprise if he were to show a wonderful return to his old-time form with Boston.

But there are plenty who bank on Chance and they have a lot of local ball history to support their side of the argument.

Chance a Good Trader.

Chance, the maker of champions, has surely been a good trader, otherwise Chicago could not have boasted of four national and two world's pennants since the year 1902.

Practically every headliner who has graced the payroll during Chance's days of triumph under Chance came to the West Side through transactions effected by "Husk." Mordecai Brown is one of the notable exceptions, the club having secured his three-fingered services before Chance donned his managerial raiment.

Kling goes back to the club Brooklyn deal, Chance got Johnny Sheckard, "the man who made the team complete," for Doc Casey, Billy Maloney, Jack McCarthy and Bert Briggs. Later from the same source he got Harry McIntire for Bill Davidson and Tony Smith.

Previous trades with Boston have secured Beaumont, Moran, Del Howard, Tom Ritchie and Dave Shean to Chicago, and went to Cincinnati, Hesse, Peter, Roy Miller, Sweeney and Went, Randall to Boston.

The Rustlers open a hard series against the Pittsburg Pirates to-day.

A Great Game.

It took twelve innings to settle things between Tenney's Artha and the Pirates in the final game. Although the Chicagoans finally put over the one run that was necessary to win, they were all through the race of their lives. Score, 5 to 4.

The Bostonites really outplayed the Cubs in every department, but they had a bad streak of luck, and when the final crisis came the Cubs were there with the necessary pep. McGinnis, a youngster who was let into the proceedings in the final stages of Sunday's fiasco, was the hero of the day. He started in the box for Tenney and had the Cubs standing on their heads until the eighth inning. Then he began to show symptoms of wildness, and the game was running on such a narrow margin that old Doc Tenney decided not to take any further chance with the kid.

McGinnis made a big hit with the fans and really showed better than any pitcher who had worked against the big bears in this month's visit. Although wild, he seemed to have about everything that a real pitcher should have, and he finished off the field and strolled to the clubhouse after being taken out he was given a big ovation by the bugs.

BATTING ORDER.	
BOSTON.	PITTSBURG.
Sweeney, 2b.	Byrne, 3b.
Tenney, 1b.	Leach, cf.
Herzog, s.s.	Clarke, l.f.
Wagner, s.s.	Wagner, s.s.
Miller, r.f.	Miller, 2b.
Flaherty, c.f.	Hunter, 1b.
Kaiser, l.f.	Wilson, r.f.
Ritchie, c.	Gibson, c.
Griffin, p.	Adams, p.

KILBANE TO EUROPE.

CLEVELAND, June 14.—Tommy Kilbane, the well-known pugilist of this city, left for New York where he sails today for Europe in the expectation of getting a few bouts on the other side as well as seeing the country.

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Chicago	28	20	.583	Washington	17	35	.340
BOSTON	26	22	.542	St. Louis	16	33	.334

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.
Boston-Detroit—Rain.
New York 6, Cleveland 1.
Philadelphia 5, Chicago 0.
Washington-Chicago—Rain.
TO-DAY'S GAMES.
Cleveland at Boston. 3:30 p. m.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Detroit at New York.
St. Louis at Washington.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Chicago	32	18	.640	St. Louis	27	23	.540
New York	32	19	.627	Cincinnati	24	28	.462
Philadelphia	29	23	.558	Brooklyn	19	28	.404
Pittsburg	28	23	.549	BOSTON	19	30	.388

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.
Chicago 5, Boston 4 (12 innings).
Pittsburg 4, Brooklyn 2 (11 innings).
New York 5, Cincinnati 2.
St. Louis 10, Philadelphia 5.
TO-DAY'S GAME.
Boston at Pittsburg.

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HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Worcester	33	17	.660	Brockton	24	27	.471
Lowell	33	17	.660	New Haven	18	31	.367
Lawrence	31	18	.633	Haverhill	13	35	.271
Lynn	21	17	.553	New Bedf'd	13	25	.342

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.
All games postponed—Rain.
TO-DAY'S GAMES.
Fall River at Lowell.
Haverhill at Brockton.
New Bedford at Lawrence.
Worcester at Lynn.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Rochester	34	16	.680	Montreal	25	25	.500
Baltimore	31	18	.633	Springfield	19	32	.373
Toronto	27	21	.563	Providence	18	31	.367
Buffalo	22	28	.440	Newark	15	36	.294

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.
Buffalo 8, Toronto 5.
Providence-Newark—Rain.
Baltimore-Jersey City—Rain.
TO-DAY'S GAMES.
Newark at Providence.
Jersey City at Baltimore.
Toronto at Rochester.
Buffalo at Montreal.

CONNECTICUT LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Hartford	35	14	.641	Nottham'n.	20	21	.488
N. Haven	28	16	.583	Springfield	19	28	.404
N. Britain	21	18	.538	Waterbury	16	33	.327
Bridgeport	22	20	.524	Meriden	15	36	.294

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.
No games, rain or wet grounds.
TO-DAY'S GAMES.
Springfield at New Britain.
Hartford at Meriden.
Northampton at Bridgeport.
Waterbury at New Haven.

"Aw, for the Love of Mike, Mutt! Be Reasonable."

"Jeff bites off a little bit of revenge," by "Bud" Fisher. Don't miss the funny doings of Mutt and Jeff in next Sunday's AMERICAN.

RALPH FRARY TO BE BIG LEAGUE UMPIRE

NEW YORK, June 14.—It was announced at National League headquarters that Ralph Frary, umpire in the Northwestern League, is to be added to the National League staff of umpires. Frary was recommended by a number of baseball experts who have watched his work. He will report for duty as soon as President Lucas of the Northwestern can replace him with another official.

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NAPS OPEN SERIES AGAINST RED SOX

By R. W. LARDNER.

The Naplees Naps are here to open a big series with Part Donovan's Red Sox. They will be single battles to-day, to-morrow and Friday and a pair of games Saturday. Before the Clevelanders have bit town the home folks ought to have a pretty clear idea of their capabilities.

When the two teams met in Cleveland the Sox trimmed this bunch three times out of four, making a better showing against them than in any of the other Western cities. But that's no sign the Naps are going to prove easy this trip. The Browns were considered a weak aggregation are they struck Boston, but they almost made local bugs eat the cruel words said about them before they went to their way. And Cleveland is likely to prove a bit as tough as opponent and perhaps a little tougher.

The Sox have played ten games since they returned from the West and have won just half of them. There was an even break in the four battles with Chicago and another even one against St. Louis. Our two conflicts with the Tigers were sailed off and each club took one. It is now up to the home team to lick Cleveland time or more times, so as to get a little margin on the credit side of the book.

Zoha Lajoie is not with the Cleveland ten this trip. He was hurt out West and hasn't been playing for three weeks. Joe Hall, who was shipped to Toledo only in the season, is on the job at second base, and he has been performing nobly, although he is hardly large enough to fill Larry's uniform. The big Nap's fielding is missed and it's a cinch that Zoha Obtains long for that big bat of his.

George Stovall is the manager of the present Cleveland outfit. George was appointed temporary leader when Jim McIlvore "resigned." The temporary appointment seems to have been made permanent, as they say in conventions, for there is no talk of removing George from his present high office this season, at least.

Stovall is a pretty swell first baseman and a dangerous hitter, but as a manager he has developed into a joke. He has never been able to get out that waivers have been asked on him. George always could hit that ball, but he wasn't a wonderful fielder three years ago. Since then he has developed into a wonderful performer, and there are only two or three American League clubs that could refuse to put him in the regular every day line up.

Some Classy Fielders.

Joe Birmingham is another Nap to whom some of the settlers have taken a fancy this Spring. But Joe is hanging right onto his job and has been playing regularly of late. With Bim, Joe Jeffy Lewis, Tris Speaker and Harry Hooper doing the outfilling there looks like a great deal of grabbing extra bases because of weak arms among the gardeners. Joe Easterly, the converted catcher, can whip the ball around also, but Birmingham is one of the real iron arms of the pastime. He and Duffy Lewis are about on a par as far as accuracy is concerned. Perhaps Joe has a shade on Duff as to distance, but he'll have to show us. The other Joe

BATTING ORDER.	
CLEVELAND.	BOSTON.
Graney, l.f.	Hooper, r.f.
Olsen, s.s.	Yerkes, s.s.
Jackson, c.f.	Speaker, c.f.
Stovall, 1b.	Lewis, l.f.
Easterly, r.f.	Gardner, 2b.
Turner, 3b.	Purrell, 3b.
Ball, 2b.	Williams, 1b.
Smith, c.	Nunamaker, c.
Gregg, p.	Cicotte, p.

Mr. Jackson, has a big reputation as a batter. According to Hub Perdue, this tall young athlete can stand in left field on the Huntington Avenue Grounds and throw out a runner at the plate in the Columbus Avenue Park.

At shortstop Manager Stovall is using Olsen, who was picked up on the Pacific Coast and who is touted as a marvel. Terry Turner is the regular third baseman.

Boston has heard a lot about this Joe Jackson and is mighty anxious to judge for itself whether he is really all that has been said of him. Ty Cobb has left us and Dan Hennery of the Globe is fresh enough to allow the folks here to judge the relative merits of the two, who are usually spoken of as the real wonders of the American League. Sox fans have an idea that Tris Speaker is just about good enough to class with Jackson, and, once more, they want to be shown.

Nap's Celebrities.

But Jackson, Olsen, Birmingham, Stovall and the two Gregs, the young pitcher with the strong advance notices, are not the only celebrities in the Nap squad. No, indeed! There is a writer on the staff in whom Boston is particularly interested. His last name is Young and it's hard to tell whether he is or isn't. For six or seven years he has been counted one as usually, has been declared all in and reported as a candidate for the bushes or retirement. Not a fortnight ago there was a story abroad to the effect that he had pitched his last game in major league baseball and was through with the pastime for good.

Almost everybody believed the story except Mr. Young himself. He was brought along on this trip and asked to work over in Washington, where his pitching has enough long list.

Try to "home" again, and he will be seen on the mound here in Boston before the Naps depart. And perhaps the folks will give him a warm reception. If there is a pitcher in the world who can beat the Sox without getting himself thoroughly disliked Cy is that pitcher. Every loyal Bostonian wants to see the Donovan bunch get a good whack at the Cleveland, and, if the Sox must drop one game, why, let them drop it to old Cy and nobody will feel much hurt.

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GRIFFITH LEADS WITH BAD DEALS

In spite of all that has happened to his trades, Manager Clark Griffith of the Reds, still is vehement in denying that he ever made a baseball deal for which he could be called a baseball Carnegie—that is, that he ever let go of anything without getting something just as good in return. During his reign as a manager Griff probably has turned more swaps than any other leader to-day. He stirred the entire baseball world with the deal with the Phillies during the winter and on paper looked to have secured a pennant winner with Grant, Bates, Moren and McQuillan.

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BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

ENGLISH BOXER WINS FROM PAL MOORE AT ARMORY A. A.

Andrew Carnegie Isn't the Only One Who Plays Golf in Scotland — By "Bud" Fisher

GEE, IT SAYS HERE THAT ONE OF THE SIGHTS OF SCOTLAND IS SKIBO CASTLE, HOME OF ANDREW CARNEGIE. I'LL SNEAK OUT AND PUT ONE OVER ON JEFF BY SEEING CARNEGIE, HIMSELF.
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THERE HE IS NOW. I'LL WALK RIGHT UP AND TALK TO HIM. GEE! JEFF WILL BE SORE WHEN HE LEARNS I WAS TALKING TO ANDREW CARNEGIE
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HOW THE BASEBALL WRITERS VIEW SWAP

Throughout the country baseball writers, to a man, John K. Tener has been hailed in express terms of praise as the shrewd baseball man who saw the value of the recent Boston-Chicago deal. Here is how some of the baseball writers in Boston, through the medium of their successful campaigns up to the present, got the best of the deal:

Philadelphia Inquirer—Chance has all year long got the best of the deal with Tenney. In getting Pete Compton and Graham the Cubs got one of the best catchers in the National League and a pitcher noted for his savage clouting. Orth is not pitching any kind of ball this year, or last season, even with a good club behind him, he was loved to beat.

In the four players the Bostons got from the Cubs Wagner will probably be the big leaguer before the season ends. Graham has shown fairly good form in the few games he has played for Chicago, part of last season and so far this season, and should develop with time and experience. Compton is a good hitter but has a habit of stepping back from the plate when he's hitting, and unless he can hold up his end with the majority of big league backstops Kaiser has undoubtedly found Griffin has played a few games this year in centerfield, to have been sent back to Atlanta for the rest of the season. By the deal the Cubs get Gandil a man who at his best is a little better than Kaiser. He is more experienced than Kaiser and will root at so many ground balls get away from his fielders is a question. Tenney is by far the best of the Boston and Graham was one of the players who was hard to handle and to get along with.

Chicago Tribune—The Cubs part with one of their veterans and a fourth of the season. Kling at least will bolster the batting ranks.

Boston Globe—Of the other six players involved in the deal Bill's Goode and Cheney are mediocre outfielders, and Kaiser appears to be more promising material than either. Wagner may help the Boston staff, Griffin is nothing more than a gangling Curtis was passed up by the Pittsburg Club but is expected to improve with his club surroundings.

Chicago Inter-Ocean—For a number of days the Chicago team has been outlayering to get hold of a hard hitting outfielder as well as a clever southpaw and for many a day the eyes of Chance and Murphy have been focussed on Goode, Boston's hard-hitting centre fielder. Both Murphy and Chance would go a long way to get Goode, but not so far that they might be beaten in the exchange which would make it a Cub. And as it was that when Chance and Murphy went into conference with Fred Tenney and William Hepburn Russell they were prepared.

Russell hasn't been long enough in the business to properly size up the value of ball players, while Tenney has been out of the game too long to have a real line of the utility of the general run of players in either the National or American leagues.

Kaiser, when in Boston, played remarkable baseball. He was hitting and fielding fit to burn when Chance, who has never forgotten the way Kaiser got the best of him in the world series last Fall. Cub fans were confident that he would do it again. Several times in 1907 and 1908 when he broke the Tigers' back Chance sent his players batted their pennies a winning the series by long breaks on the Athletics. Notwithstanding any hard feelings of the Mackmen outgeneraled Kling at every point, and made a monkey out of him. The work was so poor that Chance used Archer behind the bat in the last two games of the series. Kling at least will bolster the batting ranks.

Philadelphia North American—The deal either pleases the fans. Graham is younger than Kling and therefore is better, but he is hardly the general behind the bat that Kling is.

Kling's fall began to dim in the world series last Fall. Cub fans were confident that he would repeat his form of 1907 and 1908 when he broke the Tigers' back. Chance sent his players batted their pennies a winning the series by long breaks on the Athletics. Notwithstanding any hard feelings of the Mackmen outgeneraled Kling at every point, and made a monkey out of him. The work was so poor that Chance used Archer behind the bat in the last two games of the series.

SCHOOL GAMES CARDED TO-DAY

Newton High vs. Brookline High at National League grounds Prep League.
Medford High vs. Malden High at Malden Suburban League.
Lynn High vs. High School of Commerce at Everett.
Medford High vs. Mechanic Arts High at Medford.
Revere High vs. Chelsea High at Revere.
South Boston High vs. Lawrence Academy at Groton.
Waltham High vs. Natick High at Waltham.
Watertown High vs. Purchard High at Andover.
Belmont High vs. Norwood High at Dedham.
Salem High vs. St. John's Prep at Salem.
Malden High vs. Arlington High at Malden.
Beverly High vs. Lawrence High at Beverly.
Needham High vs. Hudson High at South Framingham.

MATT WELLS IS ATHLETES AT REVERE EVENTS GIVEN DECISION

By JIM KENNEDY

Matt Wells may be the champion lightweight of England, but if he showed all of his ability as a strong arm man in his bout with Pal Moore at the Armory last night, he'd never be a champion around here. He certainly is a clever boxer, and the glove where they make decisions in punches was not in question, when Matt passed that way.

Aggressive quick, hard and relentless Wells makes a pretty fine fighter, but none of these qualities could fight, unless a counter-puncher. Moore is a counter-puncher, and will find before his career is over that he always near self over that the Yo... are the more attention he'll get to punch than they do the number of clever lore taps that show boxing ability.

Charley White gave Wells the decision at the end of twelve rounds of fighting against Pal Moore. It would appear that most of the people in the large audience thought that Moore was entitled to at least a draw.

Crowd Favored Moore.

Naturally the local patrons of the ... were perplexed in favor of the Yankee boy from Philadelphia, but he could have been given a draw without hurting White's reputation as a referee. However, the men had agreed to go to a decision, even be a shade.

Wells was the aggressor. But few times during the route did he force Moore and he seldom was compelled to cover up or clinch. On the other hand Moore was kept on the jump every minute and he's a fighter who can't stand kidding for a... the rapid straight arm blows that the Englishman kept poking persistently into him.

If anything Moore hit harder than Wells, but he didn't hit as often. He was not here a bit tentative and found that a wildest in the final round which was his by a large margin.

Moore showed flashes of speed, accuracy and strength that brought the crowd to its feet time and again, but the stolid Briton continued on his jogged way, undaunted by punishment, and refused to be given as earned it by a very slight shade.

What Wells Looks Like.

Wells looked bigger than Moore. This fought at catch weights and undoubtedly the champion has fifteen pounds on his opponent. He is square built and far from being as graceful as one might expect in such a skilled boxer. The English man did not impress the fans and it was general opinion that there are ... lightweights in this country who can lose Englishman kept poking persistently into him.

Throughout Wells was the aggressor and in the early rounds he plainly outclassed Moore. But in the fifth Moore began to solve his style and had the better of that session. The sixth was even. Wells second, Moore on the third session, but in the last two rounds Moore clearly outpaced the Englishman.

The bout created a fair interest. It was something new to Boston fans, who are used to witnessing the more rapid style of boxing, but with Moore and Wells being as they did, it might a good idea of the strict enforcement of the rules could be gained.

It looked like old times at the Fremont Street Drill Shed as there were in the area occupied and the total attendance numbered over 2,000. There was no unusual stirring incidents during the evening as entertainment to those there present, and during the semi-final bout between Frankie Mack of Brighton and Eddie Rogers of Quincy the scene resembled an exciting finish at a big league baseball game.

It was a warm one. Mack gave a great exhibition of gameness. A couple of times it looked as if Rogg would win before the limit, which was set rounds was reached but Mack lasted through, although he lost the decision.

In the semi-final bout Jimmy Quinn of Somerville was disappointed by hitting Jack Hubberford, the latter receiving the award.

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TROY, N. Y., June 14. The Troy State League team announced the exchange of Pitcher Bessinger Smith for Pitcher Hall and Infielder Jones of the Newark Eastern league.

MORRIS PUTS SAVAGE OUT IN SECOND ROUND

NEW YORK, June 14.—About four minutes of actual fighting was necessary for Andy Morris of Boston to shatter the white hope aspirations of Jim Savage, the lightweight champion of Brown's gymnasium in Brooklyn, last night. Morris, the local boy, was given the decision in the first round when he was carried to his corner by seconds and remained there for several minutes.

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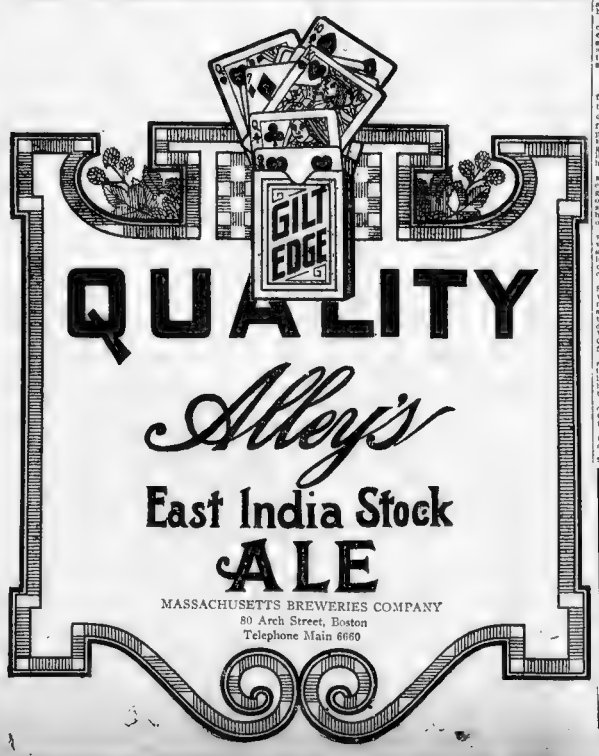

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THE AMERICAN'S MAGAZINE PAGE

"US BOYS"

It's a Pretty Bad Wind That Ain't Good for Somethin'

READING FROM LEFT TO RIGHT—SHRIMP FLOYD MANAGER OF THE WILD CATS AND HIS DOG MARS, THE WONDER BOY CATCHER HANK SNYDER, AND KID HAUH.

Standing of the Clubs

CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES

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According to the rules of the league, players can only be gotten from one team to play with another by cash payment. Shrimp Shaner, "Eaglebeak's" fifteen coats of it by now, and has been signed up to pitch for the Wild Cats. We notice that "Eaglebeak" is coming down in his price somewhat. When he was first signed up by "Skinny" Shaner for ten bucks Shaner revised ten cents a game. Now he is willing to work for fifteen cents a series, or five cents a game. According to the rules of the league, players can only be gotten from one team to play with another by a cash owner, always asked 5 cents for his release so if "Shrimp" Flynn got him it involved a transaction of 20 cents. In our opinion such a sum is pretty steep for the services of such an erratic person as the famous "Eaglebeak." Of course, if he plays he is well worth the money, but he never can be depended upon. Just when he is most needed something always happens to keep him from working. It strikes us as being funny that "Pussy" Mulane, captain of the Wasps, has not made any efforts to get "Eaglebeak" for his team. It claims that he has a new pitcher who is better than "Eagleheak" will ever be. In the line-up which he handed us last night instead of his new pitcher's name he had a question mark. He would not tell us anything about him, so we will have to print it the way he gave it to us.

Following is the line-up for to-day's contest:

WILD CATS		WASPS
Left—Mosher	P	?? The Kid I Know
Left—Field—Jones	1S	Bill—a Fool
Second—Ross	R	Quarter Nelson
Third—Hall	3B	Dick
Short—Flynn (capt.)	S P	Puggy" Mulane (c)
Right—Mars	R F	Mosher
Center—Snyder	C F	"Bumbleton
Pitcher—Shaner	P	Applegate
Mascot—Mackey	Mascot	Moore

Note.—We do not know positively that "Eaglebeak" has been signed to pitch for the Wild Cats, so we put in "Lefty" McChusky, the old pitcher.

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Percy Hears About Mrs. Mack

The Show Girl's Amazonian Friend Loses Another Sweetheart.

By HANK

"MISS MACK has fallen out with her [illegible] again and it's a sudden[illegible] she tells me," said Percy [illegible] they sat down in the Cafe des Ecrivains.

"Who's Mrs. Mack?" asked Percy, not [illegible] ing any

"Don't you remember I introduced the Show Girl [illegible] "Why, you met her last Summer. She's that [illegible] place where I buy my dresses."

"Oh, yes, I remember her," said Percy [illegible] "What's the matter?

Mrs. Mack Gets Huffy

"Maybe [illegible] told you [illegible] being [illegible] who [illegible] crazy over [illegible] guess [illegible] thing [illegible] ments, but something [illegible]

"Mrs. Mack is a sensible girl though, and she can [illegible] that she might run a risk of [illegible] slaughter, so she [illegible] That was a real love match [illegible]

A Chance for a "White Hope"

"Sounds more like a wrestling match," said Percy. "This Mrs. Mack, if she were in ring, would make a fine 'White Hope.'"

"You bet she would," replied the Show Girl. "I like her. Wherever we get in a Saturday crowd I walk behind her and we wade along like ploughing through a potato patch and whenever I go shopping I like to take her along because she can get a bargain counter when five cops couldn't club their way through. Being big has its advantages sometimes."

"Yes," admitted Percy, "Look at Taft. But you tell Mrs. Mack for me that she missed her vocation."

"Why, what do you think she ought to be?" asked the Show Girl.

"A suffragette," said Percy. "If she [illegible] State House and hustled her [illegible] into the Senate chamber those guys would be so scared they'd vote for anything she said."

"That's right," said the Show Girl. "I'll [illegible] that [illegible] Mack [illegible] and [illegible] that [illegible] Mack [illegible] and [illegible] that [illegible] Mack [illegible] and

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Desperate Desmond

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CLAUDE, YOU ARE A MEAN CAD AND I LOVE CAVY. YOU I HATE, DESMOND
CURSES! BUT I WILL FOIL YOU AND YOUR CIRCUS COWBOYS, CLAUDE. CLAIRE, YOUR ROSAMOND WILL BELONG TO ME YET. YOU RUNT HERCULES!
MEHSHOOL GEDOOLA NOOGLE BOOLA
OH!
QUICK, AS A FLASH THE SNAKE DARTS AFTER
COWBOYS FALL AND GET SKINFOOD OLIVER
SEEING A CHANCE TO CAPTURE A GOOD FEATURE FOR THEIR MENAGERIE, THEY PULL ON THE ROPES AND TIGHTEN THE NOOSES ABOUT THE WOLF'S NECK. AT THIS CRUCIAL MOMENT BACK TO THE SHOW GROUNDS ALIVE, THE MANAGER MAY GIVE THEM A RAKE-OFF. IN THE MEANTIME, THEY ARE FORGETTING ALL ABOUT THE EXECUTION, AND THE VICTIMS ARE BEATING IT.
WHILE CLAUDE AND THE COWBOYS ARE TRYING TO SUBDUE THE SNAKE, DESMOND HAS GONE AWAY AND RETURNED WITH REINFORCEMENTS. FIRST THING YOU KNOW, HE'LL CAPTURE ROSAMOND, AND THEN CLAUDE WILL BE SORRY HE HESITATED TO GIVE THE FATAL WORD. HOWEVER, WE WILL LEAVE THAT FOR TO-MORROW'S PICTURES, WHICH BID FAIR TO BE EXTREMELY INTERESTING.
DON'T LET HIM BITE ME, DEAR CLAUDE!
STOP! LET HIM BITE ME, DEAR DESMOND!
THEY NEED THE SNAKE FOR THE CIRCUS, ROSAMOND
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This is one going to be one grand little exception. Desmond, Gonegats and a bunch of other wild men are scheduled to swing off simultaneously. Now please don't imagine that it gives Claude any pleasure to order these people hanged. He would be glad to spare their lives, if he thought there was any chance of their reforming.

But he knows that they are corrupt to the very core, and he feels it his duty to rid the earth of their presence. This little world of ours will be a far safer and pleasanter place to live in with those guys out of the way. Then why does our hero hesitate to give the signal? Can it be possible he's getting cold feet?

The cowboys are waiting for Claude's orders to adjust the nooses about the necks of Desmond and his pals. If he does much longer, they'll go ahead on their own hook. But what is that constrictor doing out on the limb of the tree? Ah, yes; he's after that little bird which is just about to fly through the noose.

Quick, as a flash the snake darts after the bird, and soon its slimy body is encircled by the hempen collars which were intended for the personal adornment of Desmond and his savage accomplices. Being a particularly fine specimen, the boa constrictor attracts the attention of the cowboys from the Wild West show.

Seeing a chance to capture a good feature for their menagerie, they pull on the ropes and tighten the nooses about the wolf's monster. If they can get the serpent back to the show grounds alive, the manager may give them a rake-off. In the meantime, they are forgetting all about the execution, and the victims are beating it.

While Claude and the cowboys are trying to subdue the snake, Desmond has gone away and returned with reinforcements. First thing you know, he'll capture Rosamond, and then Claude will be sorry he hesitated to give the fatal word. However, we will leave that for to-morrow's pictures, which bid fair to be extremely interesting.

"DESPERATE DESMOND" IS NOW A REGULAR FEATURE OF THE SUNDAY AMERICAN. DON'T MISS THE THRILLING ADVENTURES OF CLAUDE ECLAIRE AND HIS ROSAMOND IN THE SUNDAY AMERICAN.

At Mrs. Dolan's Boarding House

By MABEL HERBERT URNER

In Which Ruth Comes in Touch with the Tragedy in the Room Below

"Did you hear about Mrs. Conner?" whispered Miss Bailey, leaning over to Ruth.

"Why, no," answered Ruth, wonderingly. "You haven't heard anything about last night?"

Ruth shook her head.

"Oh," with all the eagerness of unfolding a choice bit of gossip. "Everybody body knows about it. Mrs. Dolan has asked them to leave."

"Why, what happened?"

"Can you reach the mustard? No, you can't. It's too far down. Mr. Holmes, will you shove the mustard this way? Well, you know, don't you," lowering her voice again, "that she takes a little too much every now and then?"

Again Ruth shook her head.

"Well, she does. Mrs. Dolan told her husband if it ever happened again they'd have to leave. And, last night, when she came in she couldn't get upstairs. Mr. Carter found her sitting on the hatrack in the hall. He didn't know anything about her drinking—he thought she was ill. So he called Mrs. Dolan and they helped her upstairs.

"Mrs. Dolan was furious, and when Mr. Conner came home she told him they would have to give up their room at the end of the week. And he's such a nice young man," pityingly. "It's a shame she carries on like that."

"But why does she?" asked Ruth. "I thought she seemed so quiet and refined."

Ruth Hears the Story

"Yes, she seems that way; but you can't always tell about such people. She's been in her room all day," Minnie said, when she went in there to straighten up, she was crying. Minnie's real good-hearted sometimes, so she took her up some tea, but she wouldn't drink it.

"They say her husband was furious with her, and that he said she'd either have to give up drinking or give up him. This custard needs more sugar, Minnie, can't we have some sugar here." Miss Bailey covered the custard with sugar and shoved the bowl toward Ruth. "Don't you want some? It makes it much better."

Ruth finished her dessert hurriedly and started up to her room. Poor Mrs. Conner! She had not been in London long enough to know the commonness of such cases, and it had struck her with chill horror.

And now, as she passed Mrs. Conner's door on the second floor, she thought she heard a faint moan. Yes, she was crying. The sobs were low, as though she were trying to smother them. And Minnie had said she had been crying all day! And all day she had been alone!

Ruth's heart ached with pity. Perhaps she could do something for her—get her something to eat, for she knew no meals were served in the rooms here.

Impulsively she turned back and knocked gently on the door. There was no answer, but still the faint sound of sobbing. Again she knocked, but still no answer.

Then, very softly, she opened the door. The room was in painful disorder. Mrs. Conner was on the bed, her face buried in the pillow.

Ruth closed the door and hesitatingly crossed the room. Still Mrs. Conner did not look up. She did not seem to hear her.

"Isn't there something I can do for you?" Ruth asked, gently.

Mrs. Conner started and raised her tear-stained face. She was really a very pretty woman. And even now, with her flushed face and disheveled hair, she was not unattractive.

She Gave an Appealing Look

She gave Ruth a wondering, appealing look, and then dropped back on the pillow, sobbing more pitifully than before.

"Oh, you mustn't—you mustn't cry like that. You'll make yourself sick. Please don't! Isn't there anything I can do for you?"

Only a despairing shake of the head against the pillow as she sobbed on.

Ruth leaned over and gently smoothed her hair. Her head was feverish.

"Don't you want a cold wet towel on your forehead?" Without waiting for an answer Ruth wet a towel, fanned it in the air to cool it and folded it into a narrow band. "If you'll just raise your head a little and let me put this on. Now wait, I'll turn this pillow. There, that will be cooler. Have you any toilet water?"

"I think here's some there on the bureau," she murmured between her sobs.

Ruth found the bottle, but it was empty; so she ran up to her own room and brought down a small bottle.

She bathed the hot forehead and sprinkled a little on the pillow. Then she smoothed the covers and straightened around the room. Still Mrs. Conner sobbed on—low, broken, hopeless sobs. Ruth sat down by the bed and took her hand.

"Can't you see that you will only make yourself sick?"

"Oh, I don't care—I don't care what happens. He's going to leave me! He's threatened to before, but he means it now. I don't blame him. But what shall I do?"

"But why—why do you"—Ruth hesitated, "take anything when you know it brings such unhappiness."

"Oh, I can't help it. I think I'll stop, and sometimes I go for months and then—then——"

"But if you love your husband; if you know this is driving him from you——"

"I know—I know, but you don't understand. You don't know everything about it! I have tried—over and over again. But it always ends like this. And now Mrs. Dolan wants her room—she won't let us stay. And he says I've disgraced him again."

The Husband Enters.

Here the door opened suddenly and her husband entered. He was a tall, red-dish haired young man with a rather pleasant face. He paused, flushing slightly on seeing Ruth.

Ruth rose in confusion. "Oh, I just came in to see if I could do anything for Mrs. Conner"

"That's very kind of you," he answered awkwardly. He was plainly much embarrassed.

Ruth left at once, saying if there was anything she could do, she would be very glad. As she went upstairs her cheeks burned hotly. Surely he did not misunderstand her motive? He had not thought she had come in there from mere curiosity? No; he could not think that!

In her own little room she took out her sewing, a cheap serge skirt she had just bought and was trying to shorten. But her thoughts were on the tragedy in the room below. Never before had she come in touch with that phase of life.

What would become of that weak, wretched woman? Ruth felt she would not have the strength to help herself. Would the husband then, have the strength to help her?

Did he love her enough to stand by her in spite of the disgrace she had repeatedly brought upon him? Or would he carry out his threat and leave her—leave her to fall still lower?

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The De Bercy Affair

TO DAY'S INSTALMENT
By GORDON HOLMES
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PART ONE—(Continued).

INSTANTLY Clarke stole down the opposite side of the square into which the house faced, looking about him, saw no one, climbed some railings, and then through the bushes side near to the pavement where the foreigners stood. There, concealed in the shrubbery, he could clearly hear Janne say:

"Am I never to see her? My little one. But I am about to see her! I will knock at that door, and I will take her in my arms."

"My friend, be reasonable!" pleaded Antonio, holding the arm of Janne, who made more show of tearing himself free than he made real effort—with that melodramatic excess of gesture to which the Latin races are prone.

"Be reasonable! Oh, she is wiser than you! She has hidden herself from you because she realizes the danger of being seen near you even in the dark.

"I'm sure that she has longed to see you as keenly as you hunger to see her; but she feels that there must be no meeting while so many spying eyes in the world——"

"Let them spy; but they shall not keep me from the embrace of one whom I love, of one who has suffered," said Janne, eyeing his face. "Oh, when I think of your cruelty—you who all the time knew where she was and did not tell me!"

Overheard by Clarke

"I confess it, but I acted for the best," said Antonio. "She wrote to me three days after the murder, so that she might have news of you.

"I met her and received from her that bit of lace from the aggressor dress which I put into Osborne's bag at Tormouth, to throw still more doubt upon him. But she implored me not to reveal to you where she was lost, if you should be seen with her, suspicion of the murder should fall upon you——"

"Her heart's goodness! My sister! My little one!" exclaimed Janne.

"Only be patient!" wooed Antonio—"do not go to her. Soon she will make her escape to France, and you also, and then you will embrace the one the other.

"And now you have no longer cause for much anxiety as to her safety, for the dagger cannot be found with her, since it lies safe in your room in your own keeping, and to night you will drop it into the river, where it will be buried forever. Do not go to her——"

These were the last words of the dialogue that Clarke heard, for the things that "the dagger" was in Janne's room sent him creeping away through the bushes.

He was soon over the railings and in a cab, making for Soho; and behind him in another cab went Furneaux, whose driver, looking at his fare's attire, had said, "Pay first, and then I'll take you."

Clarke, for his part, had no difficulty in entering Janne's room with his skeleton keys—indeed, he had been there before!

Nor was there any difficulty in finding the dagger. There it lay, with another, in the narrow cardboard box into which Rosalind had cut both weapons on finding them behind the shelf of books in Pauline's room.

Clarke's eyes, as they fell at last upon that Saracen blade which he knew so well without ever having seen it, pored, glutted over it, with a glitter in them.

He relocked the trunk, relocked the door, and with the box held fast, ran down the three stairs to his cab—feeling himself a made man, a head taller than all Scotland Yard that night.

He put his precious find on the interior front seat of the cab, a fear-wonder in his eagerness he had jumped into the first wheeled thing that he had seen, and, having lodged the box safely, being anxious to hide it, he made a step forward toward the driver to tell him whither he had now to drive.

To the Cemetery

Then he entered, shut the door, and, as the vehicle drove off, put out his hand to the box to feast his eyes on its contents again. But the box was gone—no daggers were there!

"Stop!" howled Clarke.

The cab stopped, but it was all in vain. The loafer, who had opened the other door of the cab with swift deftness while Clarke spoke to the driver, had long since turned a near corner with the box and daggers, and was well away.

Clarke, standing in the street, glanced up at the sky, down at the ground, and stared round about, like a man who does not know in which world he finds himself.

Meantime, Furneaux hailed another cab, again having to pay in advance, and started off on the drive to Brompton Cemetery—where Winter was already in hiding, awaiting his arrival.

Something like a storm of wind was tearing the night to pieces, and the trees of the place of graves gesticulated as if they were wrangling. The moon had moved up, all involved in heavy clouds whose grotesque shapes her glare struck into garish contracts of black against silver.

Furneaux bent his way against the gale, holding on his dilapidated hat, his rags fluttering fantastically behind him, till he came to the one grave he sought—the mysterious resting-place of Rose de Bercy. The very spirit of gloom and loneliness brooded here, in a nook almost inclosed with foliage.

As yet no stone had been erected. The grave was just a narrow oblong of red marl and turf, which the driven rain now made soft and yielding. On it lay two withered wreaths.

Furneaux, standing by it, took off his hat, and the rain flecked his hair. Then from a breastpocket of his rags he took out a little funnel of paper, out of which he cast some Parma violets upon the mound. This was Thursday—and Rose de Bercy had been murdered on a Thursday.

After that he stood there perhaps twenty minutes, his head bent in meditation.

Then he peered cautiously into the dark about him, took a penknife with a good-sized blade from a pocket, and with it set to work to make a grave within the grave—a grave just big and deep enough to contain the box with the daggers. He buried his singular tribute and covered it over.

After this he waited silently, apparently lost in thought, for some ten minutes more.

Then, with that curious somnidecence which sometimes seemed to belong to the man, he sent a strange cry into the gloom.

"Are you anywhere about, Winter?"

Nor was there anything aggressive in the call. It was subdued, sad, touched with solemnity, like the voice of a man who had wept and dried his eyes.

The Meeting

There was little delay before Winter appeared out of the shadow of his hiding.

"I am!" he said. He was amazed beyond expression, yet his colleague had ever been incomprehensible in some things.

"Windy night," said Furneaux, in an absurd affectation of ease.

"And wet," said Winter, utterly at a loss how to take the other.

"Odd that we should both come to visit the poor thing's grave at the same hour," remarked Furneaux.

"It may be odd," agreed Winter.

There was a bitter silence.

Then Furneaux's cold voice was heard again.

"I dare say, now, it seems to you a suspicious thing that I should come to this grave at all."

"Why should it, Furneaux?" asked his chief bluntly.

"Yes, why?" said Furneaux. "I once knew her. I told you from the first that I knew her."

"I remember; you did."

"You asked no questions as to how I came to know her, or how long, or under what circumstances. Why did you not ask? Such questions occur amongst friends and I—might have told you. But you did not ask."

"Tell me now."

"Winter, I'd see you hanged first!"

"The words come in a sharp rasp—his first sign of anger.

"Hanged!" repeated Winter. Gushing. "You'll see me hanged? I usually see the hanging, Furneaux!"

"Sometimes you do; sometimes you are not half smart enough!"

Furneaux barked the taunt like a dog at bay.

Of the two, the big bluff man of Anglo Saxon breed, unstilled and saddened though he was, showed more self-control than the excitable little man more French than English.

"This is an occasion when I leave the smartness to you, Furneaux," he said bitterly. "Though there is a sort of clever duplicity which ought to be drained out of the blood, even if it cost a limb, or a life."

"Ah, you prove yourself a trusty friend—loyal to the backbone!"

"For Heaven's sake, make no appeal to our friendship!"

"What! Appeal! O, this is too much!"

"You are trying to beyond endurance. Can't you understand? Why keep up this farce of pretense?"

Laughed Harshly

There was genuine emotion in Winter's voice, but Furneaux's harsh laugh mingled with the sounding of the leafless branches that tossed in the wind.

"Farce, indeed!" he cried. "I refuse to continue it. Go, then, and be punished—you deserve it—you, whom I trusted more than a brother."

He turned on his heel, and made off, a weird figure in those wind-blown tatters, and Winter watched him with eyes that had in them some element of fear, almost of hope, for in that hour he could have forgiven Furneaux were he standing by his corpse.

To be continued to-morrow.

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Very Orderly

AN industrial commission appointed by Congress was conducting certain investigations with reference to the operation of mills and factories in various parts of the country, and the members became especially interested in the working of one mill in a Southwestern State.

The investigators were in one room when the whistle blew for noon. The operatives put up their tools and vanished as if by magic.

"Do all the workmen drop their tools the instant the whistles blows?" asked one of the commission.

"No, not at all," answered the man who was acting as guide. "The more orderly have their tools all put away before that sir."

AS AN AFTERTHOUGHT

Safe Manufacturer—The safe was badly injured.

Merchant—Yes, it was.

Safe Manufacturer—And yet the books were not harmed?

Merchant—No, they were not.

Safe Manufacturer—Ah, that's good! Perhaps you will allow me to write a statement to that effect for you to sign?

Merchant—All right. But maybe I had better tell you that the books were not in the safe when the fire occurred.

WHY HE SLEPT

Poet striking his children through the art gallery)—Good heavens, my little ones! Look at that picture, "Sleeping on a park bench." The painter has actually put my last volume in the fellow's hand!

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Peterman's Discovery the powerful destroyer of Bed Bugs and their eggs. A sure preventive.

Peterman's Ant Food—Kills ants and fleas.

Peterman's Moth Food (Odorless), kills moths.

Bits of Philosophy

By FRANCES L. GARSIDE

WHEN two women meet, after a lapse of twenty years, each is temporarily shocked by the changes the years have wrought in the other's appearance, but both recover quickly, and exclaim in the same breath: "You haven't changed a bit!"

Nothing in this world looks quite as comfortable as a fat woman who has outgrown the corset vanity.

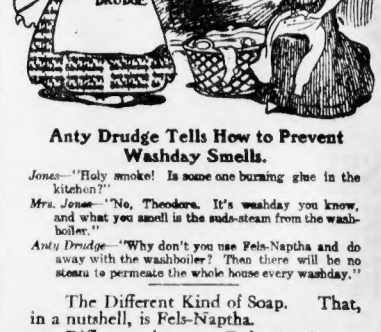
If a mother will call a spanking "mad once," the neighbors are not so apt to complain when she gives it.

Nothing in the world enrages a woman quite so much as to be told by her husband at a time when she is looking the hardest of the attractiveness of some woman who is an idiot.

When a man writes a novel he makes the hero marry a girl much younger than himself, but women novelists make the hero marry a woman many years his senior.

One of the greatest misfortunes of the world to-day is that grim adept freak styles at an age when they are too old to spank.

When a woman is left a widow with children she says a great deal about her children's need of a father's strong hand, but this is all a father's strong hand really amounts to. The children are bad, and the mother appeals to the father to make them mind. "Children, you must mind your mother," he will say mildly, and then put on his hat and walk out to avoid seeing her make them do it.



Anty Drudge Tells How to Prevent Washday Smells.

Jones—"Holy smoke! Is some one burning glue in the kitchen?"

Mrs. Jones—"No, Theodore. It's washday you know, and what you smell is the suds-steam from the washboiler."

Anty Drudge—"Why don't you use Fels-Naptha and do away with the washboiler? Then there will be no steam to permeate the whole house every washday."

The Different Kind of Soap. That, in a nutshell, is Fels-Naptha.

Different—because Fels-Naptha is more than a soap—it is a different way of washing.

Different—because Fels-Naptha gets the wash ready for the line in about half the time of any other soap.

Different—because Fels-Naptha itself does the work of loosening the dirt from the fabric, which every other soap leaves to you to do with the washboard.

Different—because with Fels-Naptha there's no backache: no need for long bending over the tub, as with other soaps.

Different—because Fels-Naptha saves the clothes: (1) from weakening of the fibre by heat; (2) from the wear of hard rubbing.

Different—because Fels-Naptha actually does in cool or lukewarm water what the best other soaps will not do even in scalding hot water.

Follow directions on the red and green wrapper, summer or winter.

TO-DAY'S STOCK MARKETS; FINANCIAL NEWS

COPPER LEADS STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, June 14—The stock market opened barely steady to-day, with continued declines all through the list. Many of the stocks which did not show declines were unchanged in price from last night's close.

The copper shares were most inviting in the most prominent position in the trading. American Smelting was unchanged in price from last night's close, and while Amalgamated opened unchanged to the undertone was firm. The result of late pressure was reflected throughout the list, affecting prices which were only traded in lightly.

Denver & Rio Grande was closely watched because of the announcement that the dividend on the preferred would be passed. The stock sold down from 60 to 57 before selling rallied.

At the end of the first 15 minutes of trading Copper took the lead, the common was up ¾, but the preferred declined ½.

The following declined: Union Pacific ¼, Atchison ¼, Pennsylvania ¼, Canadian Pacific ¼, the Southern Railway ¼, Steel, Southern Pacific and B. R. T. ¼ each, unchanged. Missouri Pacific was in good demand, sterling one-quarter higher. The curb market was dull. American Tobacco opened one point off, while Standard Oil was unchanged.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for the leading New York stocks to-noon:

RAILROADS.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Atch. T. & S. F.	105¾	105¼	105¼
Atch. T. & S. F. pf.	105¾	105¼	105¼
Balt. & Ohio	107½	107	107
Brooklyn Rap. Tr.	81¾	80¾	80¾
Canadian Pac.	240¾	239¾	239¾
Ches. & Ohio	70¾	70¼	70¼
Chic. M. & St. P.	129¾	128¾	129
Chic. & N. W.	140¾	139¾	139¾
C. C. C. & St. L.	60	60	60
Del. & Hudson	172	172	172
Denver & Rio Grande	59	58¾	58¾
Erie 1st pf.	57¾	57	57½
Gt. Northern pf.	139¾	138¾	138¾
Illinois Central	141¾	141	141¾
Int. Metropol.	19½	19	19
Kansas City So.	26¾	26½	26½
Louis. & Nash.	154¾	154	154½
Minn. St. P. & S. S. M.	135¾	135	135¾
Mo., Kan. & Tex.	29¾	29¼	29¼
Mo. Pacific	58¾	57¾	58
N. Y. C. & Hud.	110¾	110¼	110¾
N. Y., O. & W.	46¾	46¼	46¼
Norfolk & West.	89¾	89¼	89¼
Northern Pac.	120¾	120¼	120¾
Pennsylvania	125¾	125¼	125¼
Reading	164¾	163¾	164
Rock Island	22¾	22¼	22¼
Rock Island pf.	68¾	68¼	68¼
Southern Pac.	120¾	120¼	120¼
Southern Ry.	29¾	29¼	29¼
Texas & Pac.	29¾	29¼	29¼
Union Pacific	180¾	179¾	179¾
Wabash	17¾	17¼	17¼
Wabash pf.	41¾	41¼	41¼
INDUSTRIAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.			
Amal. Copper	70¾	70¼	70¼
Am. Car & Fdy.	48¾	48	48
Am. Cotton Oil	47¾	47¼	47¼
Am. Ice Sec.	20¾	20¼	20¼
Am. Locomotive	32¾	32¼	32¼
Amer. Sm. & R.	83¾	83¼	83¼
Amer. Sm. Sec. pf.	107¾	107¼	107¼
Am. Tel.	127¾	127¼	127¼
Am. Tob. pref.	97¾	97¼	97¼
Anaconda Cop.	41¾	41¼	41¼
Col. Fuel & Iron	37¾	37¼	37¼
Gen. Elec. Co.	162¾	162¼	162¼
Distill. Secur.	35¾	35¼	35¼
Consl. Leather	37¾	37¼	37¼
Gen. Electric	164¾	163¾	163¾
Int. Harvester	127¾	127¼	127¼
National Lead	69¾	69¼	69¼
Pac. Tel. & Tel.	32¾	32¼	32¼
Press. Steel Car	56¾	56¼	56¼
Pullman Co.	166¾	166¼	166¼
Rep. I. & Steel	30¾	30¼	30¼
Repub. I. & Steel pf.	102¾	102¼	102¼
Tenn. Copper	47¾	47¼	47¼
U. S. Rubber	57¾	57¼	57¼
U. S. Steel	87¾	87¼	87¼
U. S. Steel pf.	128¾	128¼	128¼
Utah Copper	52¾	51¾	51¾
Va.-Car. Chem.	46¾	46¼	46¼
West. El. & Mfg.	76¾	76¼	76¼
Va.-Car. Chem. pf.	112¾	112¼	112¼

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for the leading Boston stocks to-noon:

RAILROADS.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Boston & Maine	102½	102	102½
N. Y., N. H. & H.	137½	136½	136½
LAND COMPANIES.			
East Boston	10¼	10	10¼
TELEPHONES.			
American	151¾	151¾	151¾
ELECTRIC COMPANIES.			
Mass. Electric	23¼	23	23
MINING STOCKS.			
Adventure	7	7	7
Arizona Commercial	18¾	18	18
Atlantic	6 1-16	6 1-16	6 1-16
Butte Coalition	20¼	20	20
Calumet & Arizona	63	62¾	62¾
Calumet & Hecla	475	475	475
Copper Range	62¼	61¾	62¼
Franklin	14¼	13¾	13¾
Granby	40¾	39	40
Greene-Cananea	7¾	7¾	7¾
Mass.	2 7-16	2 7-16	2 7-16
Mohawk	50	50	50
Nevada Con.	20¼	20¼	20¼
North Butte	55¾	55¼	55¼
Old Dominion	70¾	70¼	70¼
Shannon	11¾	11¾	11¾
Superior	29¾	29¼	29¼
Trinity	15¾	15¾	15¾
Utah Con.	12¾	12¼	12¼
Utah Copper	51¾	51¼	51¼
Winona	3¾	3¾	3¾
Wolverine	113¾	113¼	113¼
MISCELLANEOUS.			
Mass. Gas	93¾	93¼	93¼
United Shoe Mach.	52¾	52	52
UNLISTED SECURITIES.			
Amalgamated	70¾	70¼	70¼
Am. Zinc	30¾	30¼	30¾
Butte	21¾	20¾	20¾
Lake Copper	29¾	29¾	29¾
Miami Copper	21¾	21¾	21¾
Swift & Co.	102	102	102
Algomah	10¾	10¾	10¾
East Butte	15¾	15¾	15¾
Eastern S. S. Co.	91½	91¼	91½
Ely Con.	9¾	9¾	9¾
Hancock	29¾	29¼	29¾
Indiana	15¾	15¾	15¾
Inspiration	9 3-16	9	9 3-16
Island Creek	35¾	35¼	35¾
Kerr Lake	5 15-16	5 15-16	5 15-16
Keweenaw	1¾	1¾	1¾
Majestic	10¾	10¾	10¾
North Lake	9¾	9¾	9¾
Ray Consolidated	18¾	18¾	18¾
Superior Boston	7¾	7¾	7¾

BOSTON CURB.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Curb stocks:

QUALIFIED LIST.			
Stocks.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Amal. Nev.	4¾	4¾	4¾
Ahmeek	175	172	175
Boston Ely	2¾	2¾	2¾
Butte Central	2¾	2¾	2¾
Calumet	1 15-16	1 15-16	1 15-16
Chief Con.	1¾	1¾	1¾
Davis Daly	1¾	1¾	1¾
First National	1¾	1¾	1¾
Goldfield Con.	1¾	1¾	1¾
La Rose	4¾	4 3-16	4¾
Mexia	1¾	1¾	1¾
Mayflower	1 3-16	1	1 3-16
Nipissing	8¾	8¾	8¾
Ohio Copper	1 9-16	1 9-16	1 9-16
Rhode Island	5	5	5
South Lake	8	8	8
Yukon Gold	3 15-16	3 15-16	3 15-16
UNQUALIFIED LIST.			
Cortez	15¾	15¾	15¾
Hollinger	15¾	15¾	15¾
New Dwight	1¾	1¾	1¾
New Baltic	7¾	7¾	7¾
Old Dom. Tr. Rets.	2¾	2¾	2¾
Ouray	2¾	2 7-16	2¾
Porcupine Gold	62¾	62¼	62¾
Porcupine Rose	8¾	8¾	8¾
Silver Leaf Cobalt	4¾	4¾	4¾
Tuped Yerde Ex.	1 1-16	1	1 1-16

Old Colony Trust Co.

Condensed Statement of the Condition at the Close of Business, June 7, 1911.

ASSETS

Cash		$20,598,124.77
In Banks	$13,683,648.21	
In Office	6,901,976.56	
Due from U. S. Treas.	12,500.00	
Loans		61,288,913.02
Investments		10,789,272.78
Real Estate and Banking Houses		1,840,000.00
		$94,516,310.57

LIABILITIES

Deposits	$80,933,450.63
Capital	2,500,000.00
Surplus	10,000,000.00
Undivided Earnings	942,859.94
Reserved for taxes	140,000.00
	$94,516,310.57

Old Colony Trust Co.

COURT STREET TEMPLE PLACE

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All Star Vaudeville
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Deaths.

NEILSEN—In Roxbury, June 13, Alfred, beloved son of Alfreda and the late Anthony N. Neilsen, age 19 yrs.
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LOST—On L train, between Forest Hills and Summer st., Tuesday morning, a black and white leather purse, bearing owner's name and address. Reward if returned to owner, 1 Hillside av., Jamaica Plain.

LOST—On Penrith st. car, between Mass. av. and Tyler st., Monday afternoon, an alligator skin bag. Finder will be rewarded returning with contents to 66 Congress st., room 406, or telephone 168 Main.

LOST—On Thursday, a pocketbook containing a sum of money; owner may have same by proving property and paying this ad. 1340 DAIRD, 166 Tremont st.

LOST—Between Tremont Theatre and 120 Beacon st., double strong card beads, tied in handkerchief; reward. Address W 501, Boston American.

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BOSTON AMERICAN

80 AND 82 SUMMER ST., BOSTON, JUNE 14, 1911

Reciprocity---What It Is, and What Is Proposed by It

Mere disturbers of the mental peace of men have ever been valuable forces of society. It is not important mentally to lead folk hither and yon. The great thing is to set them in mental motion—to make them think and give their minds a current. Thus is stagnation avoided—stagnation, which is putrefaction, which is death.

The purpose of this is to dump down before the reader a backload of statistics which shall set him thinking of Reciprocity. Who shall have the credit of Reciprocity? It was proposed by a Republican President, adopted—against Republican protest—by a Democratic House, and is now pending before a Republican Senate, where twenty-three Republicans and thirty-five Democrats support it, while twenty-five Republicans and three Benedict Arnold Democrats are doing their black best to knock it in the head.

Reciprocity is a trade agreement between Canada and the United States—between roundly seven million people on the one side and ninety-two millions on the other. Also, one in every ten on the Canadian muster rolls is an American, while one in every ninety of our own count of population is a Canadian.

Sometimes, in describing a man or a measure, a best picture is arrived at by telling what the man or measure is not. Reciprocity does not bind either party for a term of years. It may be agreed to to-day, terminated to-morrow. Or it may be continued as an arrangement for indefinite years. It does not bear upon the tariff relations of either Canada or the United States with the world at large. Both are free to put up or let down what tariff bars they choose as to any other country on the map.

Reciprocity, in its printed form, carries an even one hundred paragraphs. Forty-one of the paragraphs are free trade paragraphs and recite what goods may pass the border, north or south, unchecked, unterrified of duty. Fifty-nine of the paragraphs are tariff paragraphs. They set forth certain goods and fix a maximum duty upon them, alike for both countries and not to be advanced by either. These fifty-nine maximum duties, by the way, cut jealously under those fixed by the Dingley bill, and to that extent are entitled to be called a revision downward.

As indicating a possible first effect of Reciprocity, take last year's exports and imports between Canada and the United States. To be sure, that free listing in those forty-one paragraphs and that tariff slashing in those fifty-nine other paragraphs will vastly serve to change, and in all chance swell, what figures are to follow. The future, however, must be allowed to tell that tale. To so much as guess at it would be a waste of time.

We, with our 92,000,000 people, sold last year to the 7,000,000 people of Canada a bill of goods which totalled $223,501,809. Of this Reciprocity would have affected $47,827,459 worth—about one-fifth—and Canada gone short in her revenues some $2,560,579.

In that same year Canada sold us a bill of goods which totalled $104,198,675, of which Reciprocity—had we then had it—would have free listed or cut duties upon $47,333,148 worth. What revenue we would have lost would aggregate $4,847,933. ALSO, ONE-THIRD OF THAT $47,333,148 PURCHASE FROM CANADA WAS LUMBER. No wonder the lumber thieves are moving the Senate heaven and earth to stab Reciprocity to the heart.

Our total trade with Canada, trade going and coming, adds up to an annual $327,701,484, of which Reciprocity would touch less than 29 per cent.

Those who oppose Reciprocity, the Baileys and the Cumminses, go prophesying dire things as the fruit of its adoption. Before listening too respectfully to these he-Cassandras, foreseeing and foretelling in Reciprocity that torch which shall set fire to and consume our American Troy, you should consider what prophets raved and ranted upon what other days free trade or Reciprocity was being discussed. What said these gloomy soothsayers when Reciprocity was proposed with Cuba?—with the Philippines?—with the Sandwich Islands? What croaked they—these ravens of protection—when, in McKinley's time, free trade with Porto Rico was suggested?

Thus ran their cry: "The labor of these places was pauper labor!—slave labor! The cost of living among them was less!—greatly less! Those slaves, those paupers, saw no meat. They lived on rice—on fruits—on bones an American dog would refuse. They wallowed in ignorance, in misery, in degradation!—these slaves, these paupers, who were, through our mischievous free tradings and Reciprocities, to destroy the American workman! The American workman could not live as these slaves, these paupers, lived. He could not descend to their ignominious level! The products of these slaves, these paupers, would flood the American market! The American workman, thrown out of work, would starve, and starving, disappear!" Our ravens of prohibitive protection would conclude croakingly with those lines of Goldsmith which relate how "a bold peasantry, their country's pride, when once destroyed, can never be supplied."

How did the ebon prophecies of our protection ravens turn out? Following Reciprocity with the Sandwich Islands, our trade therewith flourished like unto a green bay tree. With Cuba, Reciprocity has more than doubled our commerce. The Philippines overtop Canada in the nose-counting matter of a population. Under what give-and-take trade relations we have established between ourselves and the Philippines our trade with that saddle-colored archipelago has jumped 70 per cent. in a year. As to Porto Rico and free trade: Why, then, we do fifteen-fold the business with Porto Rico that we used to do.

AND OUR MARKETS HAVE NOT BEEN GLUTTED, OUR WORKMEN HAVE NOT BEEN THROWN OUT OF WORK TO STARVE.

The croaking protection ravens were false soothsayers. Not one of their dire prophecies came true. With such a record of failure, are we to bow before them and believe them now?

That talk about "pauper labor" and "alien slave labor" and "lower cost of living" and the "destruction of the American workman" was, warp and woof, a web of protection lies. It is a web of lies to-day when Reciprocity with Canada is being talked of. To listen to such would be the sublimation of public idiocy. False, hungry, insatiate, never satisfied, never filled, it was the prohibitive protectionist the Scriptures had in holy mind when it said, "And he shall snatch on the right hand and be hungry, and he shall eat on the left hand and not be satisfied; they shall eat every man the flesh of his own arm."

Look Out for the Jinx

By HAL COFFMAN

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THERE! THAT'S THE SECOND CUSTOMER TODAY YOU HAVE FAILED TO SELL ANYTHING TO—IF IT HAPPENS AGAIN YOU'RE FIRED
SPORTING GOODS AND FISHING TACKLE
YES SIR
I'M GOING UP IN THE WOODS FOR 3 MONTHS AND WANT A COMPLETE CAMPING OUTFIT—NEVER MIND THE PRICE
YES SIR
WELL I GUESS I HAVE ALL I NEED—HOW MUCH?
JUST $498 EVEN
WHY HEL-LO BILL!
HELLO JACK—BEEN LOOKING ALL OVER FOR YOU
HA!
JACK YOU SIMPLY HAVE GOT TO COME I HAVE THE YACHT ALL FITTED OUT FOR A 3 MONTH'S CRUISE—YOU NEEDN'T BRING A THING BUT YOUR TOOTH BRUSH
SURE
?
HOW'S SHE HEADIN' MATE? SOU' SOU'WEST? LET 'ER GO!
GET OUT OF HERE YOU'RE FIRED!!
B-B-BUT BOSS!!
NEVER MIND THAT ORDER OF MINE FOR THE CAMPING STUFF
YE HO ME LADS YE HO!

"Joys" and "Glooms" have made the biggest hit of any comic pictures in years. Don't miss Tom Powers's funny "Joys" and "Glooms" in the Sunday AMERICAN.

Sherlocko the Monk

By GUS MAGER

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No Mystery Is Too Baffling for Him

MR. SHERLOCKO, I WANT YOU TO FIND THE VANDAL WHO CUT DOWN MY BEAUTIFUL ELM TREE!
COME WATSO, WE'LL HAVE A LOOK AT THAT TREE!
IT WAS CUT DOWN YESTERDAY, WHILE I WAS AWAY!
WATSO, YOU'RE A STRONG MAN—GIVE ME A LIFT!
I SAY, OLD TOP, YOU DON'T EXPECT TO MAKE THE TREE GROW AGAIN, DO YOU?
NOW HOLD HER THERE A MINUTE WHILE I MAKE AN OBSERVATION!
JUST AS I THOUGHT! IT THREW A SHADOW ON THAT CORN! COME, WATSO, WE'LL SEE WHO LIVES NEXT DOOR!
MR. GROUCHO, YOU CUT DOWN MR. SHRIMPO'S ELM TREE! CON
WELL? WHAT OF IT? WHAT RIGHT HAS HIS TREE GOT TO KEEP THE SUN OFF MY CORNFIELD!
AS I LIVE—GROUCHO!
GROUCHO!

The Elevated's Bluff

An Old and Threadbare Device That Has Failed Before and Is Doomed to Failure Now.

The Boston Elevated has begun its advertising campaign to promote the passage of the pending bill giving the Elevated "SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE" CONTROL of our underground streets for the next half a century.

It is resting its whole argument upon an UNPROVED statement that the Elevated Railway Company cannot now afford to undertake the expense of three new tunnels without a guarantee that it will be permitted to remain master of our transportation system for fifty years.

The public does not know whether this statement is true or whether it is false. We have only the word of the managers of the Elevated that it is true, and they have not undertaken to prove it. They do not now offer to prove it, and they have persistently refused to permit a public examination of their financial condition.

They have even refused to permit the committee representing the stockholders of the West End Street Railway to examine their books. If a party in court should make such a statement concerning his business condition and then should refuse to submit his books and himself to a thorough cross-examination, his statement would be without weight and, indeed, he would not be allowed to make it at all.

The Boston Elevated in its advertisement yesterday morning asked this question: "What ought a transportation company to do when there is a strong public demand for subways which cannot by any possibility show a profit until the far distant future?"

The answer to that question is obvious. THE BOSTON ELEVATED OUGHT TO PROVE IT.

Many months ago, even before the committee hearings on this bill, the AMERICAN declared that, before anything further was done, it was important that the public should know the real condition of the Elevated.

And now since the Elevated has successfully resisted all attempts to obtain an investigation of its affairs, it ought to be ashamed to ask the public to grant it extraordinary rights based upon unproved claims concerning its financial condition.

It is well enough for the representatives of the Elevated to meet the members of the Street Railway Committee behind closed doors and there, in awe-inspiring stage whispers, pledge the committee to profound secrecy and reveal to them, with all the stage settings of calamity, the delicate condition of the Elevated Railroad. That may impress and flatter the members of the committee, but it neither impresses nor flatters the public.

The people of Boston would not require the Boston Elevated to do business at a loss or even at an unreasonably small profit. The managers of the Elevated know this perfectly well.

If their condition is so delicate, the best interests of their stockholders would be served by taking the public into their confidence. But they have chosen not to do so, and the conclusion is unavoidable that their condition is not what they represent it to be.

It is adding insult to injury to ask the people to reverse an established public policy which has fixed upon twenty-five years as the maximum period during which to yield control of their streets, when the only ground for the demand is an unsupported claim which the Elevated refuses to permit the public to verify.

The pending bill was calculated to incite the citizens of Dorchester and South Boston selfishly to agree to surrender an important and cherished public policy and to mortgage the future for half a century for a subway which they very much need. For this purpose the Elevated has improperly joined together several independent propositions which ought to stand on their own merits as separate measures.

But in their designs upon the selfishness of the citizens of Dorchester and South Boston the Elevated is reckoning without its host. The people of South Boston and Dorchester need the proposed subway badly, but they DO NOT need it badly enough to surrender the rights of their children and their children's children. Moreover, the people of South Boston and Dorchester will not need to make any such outrageous sacrifice of principle and policy.

We build the subways with OUR OWN money. All the Boston Elevated does is to lease them and WE SHALL BUILD a subway to South Boston and Dorchester and the Boston Elevated WILL LEASE it whether the pending bill passes or whether it does not.

The Boston Elevated Railroad is a quasi public corporation. It has duties to the public which it is bound to respect, and the people of Dorchester and South Boston will get their tunnel or the Boston Elevated will be obliged to show why it cannot afford to lease the tunnel.

The AMERICAN makes the prediction that, before the Elevated submits to any public investigation of its financial condition and its earnings, it will cheerfully agree to lease not one but many new tunnels. The citizens of Dorchester and South Boston ought to stand their ground and reject the proffered bribe of a new tunnel.

The Boston Elevated Railroad is not at present the master of the situation in this city. The citizens of South Boston and Dorchester, if they really want a tunnel, can get one without bending the knee to the managers of the Boston Elevated.

Thanks to the wisdom of Governor Crane, who refused to allow the city to give the Elevated control of our subways for more than twenty-five years, we are happily in a position to enforce our interests so far as justice to the Elevated will permit and no one wishes to go further.

This dangling of improvements before the eyes of the public and threatening to prevent them, if the Elevated does not obtain its demands, is an old and threadbare bluff. In 1900 the company presented a bill, by which it proposed to build and to own the Washington street tunnel. The company then declared that by permitting it to own the tunnel was the only way in which Boston could obtain the tunnel. The Legislature refused to get the tunnel in any such way.

The next year the Elevated changed its mind and agreed to accept a fifty-year lease. Governor Crane refused to give it more than a twenty-five-year lease. THE NEXT YEAR the Elevated accepted a twenty-five-year lease.

It is a long climb down from the demand for a perpetual ownership and the accepting of a twenty-five-year lease.

"Aw, for the Love Of Mike, Mutt, Be Reasonable!"

Jeff bites off a little piece of revenge in next Sunday's AMERICAN. Don't miss Mutt and Jeff next Sunday. It's the best yet.